

Irving Goodman Collection of Russian Coinage

February 11, 1891



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The IRVING GOODMAN COLLECTION

of Russian Coinage

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LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID
1	1430.00	79	154.00	157	396.00	235	319.00	313	154.00
2	1155.00	80	209.00	158	126.50	236	242.00	314	451.00
3	1320.00	81	3960.00	159	605.00	237	319.00	315	143.00
4	20900.00	82	198.00	160	1155.00	238	220.00	316	148.50
5	4180.00	83	143.00	161	209.00	239	154.00	317	148.50
6	4400.00	84	352.00	162	577.50	240	4180.00	318	99.00
7	935.00	85	115.50	163	374.00	241	638.00	319	880.00
8	1045.00	86	110.00	164	154.00	242	687.50	320	605.00
9	2420.00	87	104.50	165	1155.00	243	1100.00	321	687.50
10	1760.00	88	2860.00	166	187.00	244	1045.00	322	286.00
11	467.50	89	880.00	167	110.00	245	825.00	323	159.50
12	330.00	90	423.50	168	187.00	246	2200.00	324	440.00
13	1650.00	91	220.00	169	1485.00	247	440.00	325	132.00
14	253.00	92	990.00	170	1430.00	248	462.00	326	1375.00
15	352.00	93	632.50	171	990.00	249	2090.00	327	253.00
16	319.00	94	352.00	172	1430.00	250	352.00	328	231.00
17	1650.00	95	242.00	173	253.00	251	159.50	329	825.00
18	1595.00	96	297.00	174	104.50	252	66.00	330	577.50
19	3410.00	97	187.00	175	396.00	253	99.00	331	352.00
20	1100.00	98	990.00	176	264.00	254	242.00	332	192.50
21	797.50	99	462.00	177	104.50	255	2860.00	333	803.00
22	66.00	100	297.00	178	148.50	256	1375.00	334	319.00
23	143.00	101	632.50	179	93.50	257	484.00	335	660.00
24	880.00	102	71.50	180	506.00	258	462.00	336	715.00
25	6325.00	103	88.00	181	297.00	259	308.00	337	550.00
26	8250.00	104	231.00	182	577.50	260	126.50	338	605.00
27	4950.00	105	137.50	183	374.00	261	418.00	339	330.00
28	242.00	106	110.00	184	462.00	262	264.00	340	110.00
29	264.00	107	148.50	185	88.00	263	148.50	341	484.00
30	203.50	108	385.00	186	396.00	264	154.00	342	528.00
31	176.00	109	126.50	187	577.50	265	209.00	343	121.00
32	742.50	110	632.50	188	418.00	266	275.00	344	440.00
33	264.00	111	126.50	189	187.00	267	1375.00	345	220.00
34	176.00	112	148.50	190	187.00	268	308.00	346	82.50
35	341.00	113	88.00	191	121.00	269	632.50	347	165.00
36	605.00	114	126.50	192	132.00	270	137.50	348	126.50
37	308.00	115	1265.00	193	110.00	271	220.00	349	176.00
38	143.00	116	1100.00	194	137.50	272	137.50	350	137.50
39	159.50	117	770.00	195	577.50	273	528.00	351	550.00
40	352.00	118	1045.00	196	165.00	274	143.00	352	187.00
41	1111.00	119	660.00	197	132.00	275	632.50	353	126.50
42	2860.00	120	418.00	198	137.50	276	121.00	354	71.50
43	1430.00	121	143.00	199	187.00	277	176.00	355	71.50
44	797.50	122	159.50	200	154.00	278	577.50	356	275.00
45	396.00	123	550.00	201	308.00	279	220.00	357	506.00
46	198.00	124	374.00	202	220.00	280	418.00	358	187.00
47	247.50	125	577.50	203	1155.00	281	159.50	359	115.50
48	11825.00	126	1540.00	204	462.00	282	528.00	360	104.50
49	797.50	127	121.00	205	506.00	283	418.00	361	275.00
50	385.00	128	126.50	206	242.00	284	176.00	362	82.50
51	1595.00	129	907.50	207	187.00	285	148.50	363	104.50
52	1375.00	130	484.00	208	374.00	286	148.50	364	242.00
53	990.00	131	396.00	209	143.00	287	154.00	365	165.00
54	2310.00	132	385.00	210	462.00	288	198.00	366	60.50
55	770.00	133	297.00	211	154.00	289	231.00	367	209.00
56	990.00	134	165.00	212	506.00	290	209.00	368	198.00
57	1512.50	135	451.00	213	374.00	291	154.00	369	187.00
58	363.00	136	148.50	214	308.00	292	187.00	370	71.50
59	577.50	137	396.00	215	143.00	293	209.00	371	115.50
60	2970.00	138	148.50	216	374.00	294	148.50	372	115.50
61	3740.00	139	418.00	217	187.00	295	396.00	373	60.50
62	1540.00	140	187.00	218	577.50	296	126.50	374	44.00
63	1155.00	141	187.00	219	275.00	297	115.50	375	38.50
64	3740.00	142	137.50	220	165.00	298	275.00	376	577.50
65	907.50	143	104.50	221	159.50	299	264.00	377	577.50
66	770.00	144	71.50	222	187.00	300	143.00	378	742.50
67	418.00	145	528.00	223	110.00	301	148.50	379	660.00
68	5500.00	146	71.50	224	115.50	302	143.00	380	687.50
69	253.00	147	181.50	225	115.50	303	132.00	381	330.00
70	577.50	148	115.50	226	126.50	304	275.00	382	632.50
71	440.00	149	82.50	227	159.50	305	319.00	383	286.00
72	88.00	150	121.00	228	506.00	306	209.00	384	176.00
73	990.00	151	220.00	229	264.00	307	165.00	385	506.00
74	159.50	152	198.00	230	396.00	308	176.00	386	264.00
75	8580.00	153	1045.00	231	132.00	309	165.00	387	286.00
76	198.00	154	742.50	232	88.00	310	176.00	388	148.50
77	3960.00	155	440.00	233	181.50	311	143.00	389	187.00
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								465	14850.00
								466	209.00
								467	330.00
								468	187.00

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LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID
469	99.00	547	687.50	625	440.00	703	6875.00	781	115.50
470	192.50	548	797.50	626	484.00	704	632.50	782	253.00
471	319.00	549	577.50	627	286.00	705	352.00	783	187.00
472	143.00	550	632.50	628	418.00	706	286.00	784	115.50
473	137.50	551	484.00	629	253.00	707	605.00	785	209.00
474	352.00	552	396.00	630	121.00	708	115.50	786	55.00
475	319.00	553	198.00	631	121.00	709	99.00	787	148.50
476	198.00	554	484.00	632	165.00	710	302.50	788	231.00
477	374.00	555	264.00	633	154.00	711	264.00	789	396.00
478	159.50	556	165.00	634	187.00	712	253.00	790	324.50
479	231.00	557	187.00	635	242.00	713	462.00	791	165.00
480	165.00	558	198.00	636	330.00	714	231.00	792	297.00
481	71.50	559	462.00	637	297.00	715	104.50	793	165.00
482	71.50	560	115.50	638	187.00	716	363.00	794	126.50
483	121.00	561	715.00	639	148.50	717	99.00	795	93.50
484	275.00	562	220.00	640	2530.00	718	4620.00	796	132.00
485	159.50	563	88.00	641	632.50	719	5060.00	797	165.00
486	605.00	564	440.00	642	605.00	720	1650.00	798	170.50
487	214.50	565	286.00	643	264.00	721	3520.00	799	462.00
488	231.00	566	231.00	644	231.00	722	3960.00	800	528.00
489	115.50	567	126.50	645	220.00	723	3960.00	801	770.00
490	115.50	568	231.00	646	93.50	724	1980.00	802	3740.00
491	165.00	569	231.00	647	286.00	725	308.00	803	770.00
492	632.50	570	253.00	648	231.00	726	715.00	804	13750.00
493	264.00	571	286.00	649	143.00	727	297.00	805	7700.00
494	275.00	572	286.00	650	726.00	728	880.00	806	88.00
495	82.50	573	302.50	651	352.00	729	522.50	807	88.00
496	176.00	574	374.00	652	176.00	730	4400.00	808	143.00
497	104.50	575	231.00	653	605.00	731	3300.00	809	121.00
498	121.00	576	313.50	654	550.00	732	2805.00	810	187.00
499	66.00	577	220.00	655	462.00	733	825.00	811	82.50
500	374.00	578	462.00	656	93.50	734	1100.00	812	198.00
501	143.00	579	231.00	657	115.50	735	49.50	813	176.00
502	687.50	580	165.00	658	93.50	736	77.00	814	1100.00
503	176.00	581	77.00	659	418.00	737	374.00	815	110.00
504	440.00	582	506.00	660	1430.00	738	440.00	816	77.00
505	440.00	583	440.00	661	209.00	739	198.00	817	82.50
506	104.50	584	440.00	662	396.00	740	302.50	818	115.50
507	506.00	585	308.00	663	418.00	741	99.00	819	176.00
508	85.00	586	1760.00	664	154.00	742	286.00	820	159.50
509	154.00	587	302.50	665	72.60	743	88.00	821	82.50
510	137.50	588	275.00	666	71.50	744	374.00	822	440.00
511	825.00	589	3520.00	667	93.50	745	242.00	823	264.00
512	550.00	590	3300.00	668	104.50	746	137.50	824	198.00
513	319.00	591	143.00	669	506.00	747	93.50	825	126.50
514	297.00	592	88.00	670	253.00	748	374.00	826	82.50
515	687.50	593	825.00	671	165.00	749	220.00	827	220.00
516	632.50	594	484.00	672	110.00	750	93.50	828	82.50
517	297.00	595	396.00	673	82.50	751	374.00	829	66.00
518	137.50	596	418.00	674	49.50	752	632.50	830	66.00
519	82.50	597	231.00	675	49.50	753	797.50	831	286.00
520	93.50	598	880.00	676	49.50	754	462.00	832	264.00
521	159.50	599	418.00	677	66.00	755	332.75	833	93.50
522	115.50	600	440.00	678	121.00	756	231.00	834	104.50
523	99.00	601	198.00	679	77.00	757	550.00	835	71.50
524	143.00	602	396.00	680	44.00	758	577.50	836	5280.00
525	396.00	603	396.00	681	82.50	759	484.00	837	242.00
526	93.50	604	605.00	682	660.00	760	577.50	838	297.00
527	93.50	605	462.00	683	302.50	761	154.00	839	198.00
528	99.00	606	462.00	684	286.00	762	143.00	840	3740.00
529	121.00	607	275.00	685	275.00	763	93.50	841	1650.00
530	132.00	608	687.50	686	231.00	764	198.00	842	1375.00
531	308.00	609	231.00	687	71.50	765	176.00	843	264.00
532	77.00	610	319.00	688	126.50	766	77.00	844	121.00
533	77.00	611	242.00	689	121.00	767	484.00	845	3960.00
534	104.50	612	93.50	690	137.50	768	242.00	846	132.00
535	143.00	613	462.00	691	253.00	769	528.00	847	137.50
536	88.00	614	495.00	692	88.00	770	143.00	848	231.00
537	198.00	615	88.00	693	1430.00	771	418.00	849	55.00
538	632.50	616	132.00	694	1375.00	772	121.00	850	935.00
539	99.00	617	3080.00	695	1485.00	773	561.00	851	47.30
540	104.50	618	2860.00	696	632.50	774	528.00	852	308.00
541	104.50	619	4180.00	697	7260.00	775	99.00	853	110.00
542	99.00	620	1980.00	698	5500.00	776	176.00	854	451.00
543	93.50	621	825.00	699	2860.00	777	93.50	855	2200.00
544	93.50	622	990.00	700	2805.00	778	1045.00	856	319.00
545	242.00	623	1155.00	701	6820.00	779	286.00	857	115.50
546	88.00	624	632.50	702	6600.00	780	121.00	858	82.50
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937	143.00	1015	44.00	1093	286.00	1171	49.50	1249	60.50	1327	605.00
938	77.00	1016	38.50	1094	462.00	1172	407.00	1250	104.50	1328	440.00
939	330.00	1017	104.50	1095	143.00	1173	209.00	1251	44.00	1329	440.00
940	93.50	1018	104.50	1096	176.00	1174	77.00	1252	71.50	1330	605.00
941	1760.00	1019	77.00	1097	165.00	1175	60.50	1253	143.00	1331	253.00
942	258.50	1020	38.50	1098	253.00	1176	82.50	1254	93.50	1332	330.00
943	352.00	1021	71.50	1099	154.00	1177	88.00	1255	77.00	1333	137.50
944	88.00	1022	60.50	1100	137.50	1178	297.00	1256	132.00	1334	99.00
945	93.50	1023	55.00	1101	176.00	1179	110.00	1257	154.00	1335	165.00
946	605.00	1024	44.00	1102	176.00	1180	88.00	1258	110.00	1336	60.50
947	137.50	1025	27.50	1103	203.50	1181	121.00	1259	126.50	1337	77.00
948	209.00	1026	60.50	1104	132.00	1182	60.50	1260	286.00	1338	330.00
949	104.50	1027	132.00	1105	93.50	1183	132.00	1261	297.00	1339	165.00
950	126.50	1028	148.50	1106	154.00	1184	308.00	1262	82.50	1340	198.00
951	880.00	1029	44.00	1107	137.50	1185	484.00	1263	330.00	1341	209.00
952	352.00	1030	55.00	1108	126.50	1186	253.00	1264	93.50	1342	110.00
953	99.00	1031	220.00	1109	82.50	1187	220.00	1265	88.00	1343	93.50
954	110.00	1032	44.00	1110	418.00	1188	209.00	1266	330.00	1344	605.00
955	71.50	1033	330.00	1111	99.00	1189	231.00	1267	82.50	1345	225.50
956	159.50	1034	198.00	1112	374.00	1190	275.00	1268	55.00	1346	99.00
957	577.50	1035	165.00	1113	121.00	1191	82.50	1269	253.00	1347	264.00
958	550.00	1036	264.00	1114	231.00	1192	99.00	1270	132.00	1348	1980.00
959	231.00	1037	132.00	1115	825.00	1193	1155.00	1271	440.00	1349	2970.00
960	330.00	1038	71.50	1116	440.00	1194	209.00	1272	126.50	1350	1045.00
961	93.50	1039	44.00	1117	462.00	1195	187.00	1273	77.00	1351	418.00
962	110.00	1040	44.00	1118	143.00	1196	93.50	1274	88.00	1352	231.00
963	187.00	1041	143.00	1119	176.00	1197	187.00	1275	71.50	1353	187.00
964	115.50	1042	308.00	1120	115.50	1198	99.00	1276	110.00	1354	2200.00
965	352.00	1043	176.00	1121	1210.00	1199	55.00	1277	77.00	1355	352.00
966	88.00	1044	44.00	1122	88.00	1200	462.00	1278	77.00	1356	374.00
967	132.00	1045	60.50	1123	165.00	1201	159.50	1279	275.00	1357	159.50
968	115.50	1046	126.50	1124	742.50	1202	82.50	1280	110.00	1358	990.00
969	104.50	1047	27.50	1125	93.50	1203	93.50	1281	880.00	1359	797.50
970	71.50	1048	49.50	1126	82.50	1204	49.50	1282	374.00	1360	242.00
971	82.50	1049	38.50	1127	1375.00	1205	82.50	1283	825.00	1361	484.00
972	49.50	1050	143.00	1128	286.00	1206	55.00	1284	632.50	1362	330.00
973	1045.00	1051	71.50	1129	187.00	1207	44.00	1285	275.00	1363	275.00
974	209.00	1052	99.00	1130	165.00	1208	38.50	1286	55.00	1364	198.00
975	154.00	1053	352.00	1131	115.50	1209	77.00	1287	275.00	1365	742.50
976	121.00	1054	60.50	1132	99.00	1210	154.00	1288	440.00	1366	1375.00
977	352.00	1055	418.00	1133	880.00	1211	187.00	1289	77.00	1367	330.00
978	159.50	1056	71.50	1134	660.00	1212	77.00	1290	143.00	1368	242.00
979	506.00	1057	44.00	1135	742.50	1213	187.00	1291	462.00	1369	242.00
980	352.00	1058	33.00	1136	352.00	1214	126.50	1292	187.00	1370	220.00
981	352.00	1059	55.00	1137	396.00	1215	99.00	1293	330.00	1371	1430.00
982	418.00	1060	154.00	1138	280.50	1216	198.00	1294	577.50	1372	341.00
983	352.00	1061	187.00	1139	93.50	1217	209.00	1295	742.50	1373	286.00
984	286.00	1062	154.00	1140	126.50	1218	126.50	1296	352.00	1374	1485.00
985	176.00	1063	176.00	1141	4180.00	1219	462.00	1297	126.50	1375	577.50
986	88.00	1064	176.00	1142	797.50	1220	352.00	1298	396.00	1376	363.00
987	506.00	1065	143.00	1143	715.00	1221	110.00	1299	148.50	1377	275.00
988	462.00	1066	550.00	1144	770.00	1222	605.00	1300	88.00	1378	154.00
989	770.00	1067	286.00	1145	3520.00	1223	462.00	1301	462.00	1379	187.00
990	396.00	1068	253.00	1146	1430.00	1224	176.00	1302	231.00	1380	495.00
991	148.50	1069	82.50	1147	550.00	1225	181.50	1303	82.50	1381	231.00
992	154.00	1070	132.00	1148	396.00	1226	159.50	1304	159.50	1382	242.00
993	115.50	1071	264.00	1149	396.00	1227	82.50	1305	528.00	1383	159.50
994	55.00	1072	209.00	1150	330.00	1228	1320.00	1306	148.50	1384	82.50
995	49.50	1073	55.00	1151	187.00	1229	137.50	1307	209.00	1385	231.00
996	88.00	1074	275.00	1152	286.00	1230	176.00	1308	396.00	1386	148.50
997	55.00	1075	198.00	1153	275.00	1231	154.00	1309	313.50	1387	132.00
998	198.00	1076	187.00	1154	242.00	1232	137.50	1310	352.00	1388	110.00
999	44.00	1077	132.00	1155	935.00	1233	93.50	1311	352.00	1389	115.50
1000	82.50	1078	115.50	1156	687.50	1234	110.00	1312	286.00	1390	82.50
1001	297.00	1079	33.00	1157	176.00	1235	418.00	1313	187.00	1391	77.00
1002	137.50	1080	374.00	1158	165.00	1236	154.00	1314	528.00	1392	60.50
1003	104.50	1081	264.00	1159	115.50	1237	137.50	1315	462.00	1393	110.00
1004	49.50	1082	264.00	1160	93.50	1238	93.50	1316	462.00	1394	132.00
1005	286.00	1083	176.00	1161	121.00	1239	126.50	1317	242.00	1395	214.50
1006	38.50	1084	110.00	1162	82.50	1240	242.00	1318	352.00	1396	577.50
1007	93.50	1085	148.50	1163	242.00	1241	99.00	1319	1320.00	1397	286.00
1008	187.00	1086	209.00	1164	66.00	1242	82.50	1320	220.00	1398	220.00
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1010	44.00	1088	352.00	1166	143.00	1244	77.00	1322	126.50	1400	154.00
1011	275.00	1089	209.00	1167	396.00	1245	84.70	1323	577.50	1401	93.50
1012	176.00	1090	374.00	1168	286.00	1246	203.50	1324	286.00	1402	132.00
1013	88.00	1091	264.00	1169	126.50	1247	88.00	1325	104.50	1403	77.00
1014	77.00	1092	352.00	1170	93.50	1248	132.00	1326	605.00	1404	82.50

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The Irving Goodman Collection of Russian Coinage

LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID	LOT	BID
1405	104.50	1466	264.00	1527	2145.00	1588	143.00	1649	143.00	1710	462.00
1406	148.50	1467	88.00	1528	1760.00	1589	176.00	1650	935.00	1711	132.00
1407	1650.00	1468	88.00	1529	550.00	1590	126.50	1651	82.50	1712	110.00
1408	462.00	1469	66.00	1530	550.00	1591	126.50	1652	82.50	1713	935.00
1409	231.00	1470	935.00	1531	319.00	1592	126.50	1653	275.00	1714	110.00
1410	93.50	1471	605.00	1532	231.00	1593	137.50	1654	104.50	1715	396.00
1411	1155.00	1472	5500.00	1533	209.00	1594	137.50	1655	137.50	1716	385.00
1412	308.00	1473	825.00	1534	137.50	1595	27.50	1656	176.00	1717	297.00
1413	159.50	1474	440.00	1535	550.00	1596	99.00	1657	220.00	1718	110.00
1414	231.00	1475	550.00	1536	352.00	1597	1100.00	1658	264.00	1719	99.00
1415	93.50	1476	632.50	1537	154.00	1598	462.00	1659	264.00	1720	154.00
1416	484.00	1477	462.00	1538	99.00	1599	170.50	1660	231.00	1721	38.50
1417	319.00	1478	2090.00	1539	132.00	1600	104.50	1661	253.00	1722	115.50
1418	231.00	1479	286.00	1540	418.00	1601	159.50	1662	418.00	1723	115.50
1419	176.00	1480	71.50	1541	148.50	1602	44.00	1663	440.00	1724	93.50
1420	308.00	1481	770.00	1542	71.50	1603	66.00	1664	192.50	1725	93.50
1421	82.50	1482	742.50	1543	137.50	1604	143.00	1665	110.00	1726	286.00
1422	55.00	1483	275.00	1544	44.00	1605	1485.00	1666	148.50	1727	242.00
1423	462.00	1484	286.00	1545	1760.00	1606	1485.00	1667	121.00	1728	242.00
1424	385.00	1485	330.00	1546	825.00	1607	1045.00	1668	132.00	1729	126.50
1425	330.00	1486	104.50	1547	990.00	1608	165.00	1669	82.50	1730	71.50
1426	198.00	1487	550.00	1548	687.50	1609	99.00	1670	330.00	1731	82.50
1427	264.00	1488	396.00	1549	231.00	1610	143.00	1671	187.00	1732	93.50
1428	198.00	1489	550.00	1550	93.50	1611	137.50	1672	258.50	1733	82.50
1429	577.50	1490	264.00	1551	231.00	1612	137.50	1673	462.00	1734	71.50
1430	330.00	1491	3740.00	1552	308.00	1613	132.00	1674	742.50	1735	60.50
1431	990.00	1492	1210.00	1553	231.00	1614	82.50	1675	231.00	1736	55.00
1432	396.00	1493	1375.00	1554	330.00	1615	159.50	1676	137.50	1737	71.50
1433	126.50	1494	1760.00	1555	192.50	1616	126.50	1677	115.50	1738	99.00
1434	440.00	1495	1540.00	1556	1155.00	1617	126.50	1678	71.50	1739	253.00
1435	297.00	1496	440.00	1557	1650.00	1618	137.50	1679	38.50	1740	198.00
1436	374.00	1497	2860.00	1558	2640.00	1619	137.50	1680	49.50	1741	66.00
1437	462.00	1498	1320.00	1559	1045.00	1620	132.00	1681	44.00	1742	467.50
1438	126.50	1499	3025.00	1560	495.00	1621	132.00	1682	66.00	1743	110.00
1439	231.00	1500	440.00	1561	1540.00	1622	77.00	1683	220.00	1744	77.00
1440	154.00	1501	93.50	1562	385.00	1623	82.50	1684	.00	1745	231.00
1441	187.00	1502	990.00	1563	247.50	1624	82.50	1685	93.50	1746	352.00
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1443	253.00	1504	132.00	1565	770.00	1626	143.00	1687	60.50	1748	286.00
1444	231.00	1505	797.50	1566	275.00	1627	55.00	1688	121.00	1749	220.00
1445	506.00	1506	484.00	1567	242.00	1628	88.00	1689	1980.00	1750	253.00
1446	687.50	1507	5775.00	1568	396.00	1629	55.00	1690	396.00	1751	165.00
1447	187.00	1508	605.00	1569	231.00	1630	187.00	1691	319.00	1752	187.00
1448	715.00	1509	330.00	1570	632.50	1631	66.00	1692	330.00	1753	286.00
1449	88.00	1510	176.00	1571	374.00	1632	220.00	1693	159.50	1754	115.50
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1451	253.00	1512	797.50	1573	1155.00	1634	55.00	1695	1870.00	1756	165.00
1452	121.00	1513	577.50	1574	797.50	1635	44.00	1696	797.50	1757	462.00
1453	77.00	1514	1760.00	1575	132.00	1636	38.50	1697	462.00	1758	396.00
1454	797.50	1515	632.50	1576	660.00	1637	132.00	1698	330.00	1759	577.50
1455	209.00	1516	506.00	1577	330.00	1638	154.00	1699	396.00	1760	440.00
1456	440.00	1517	6325.00	1578	253.00	1639	110.00	1700	2090.00	1761	165.00
1457	506.00	1518	462.00	1579	66.00	1640	253.00	1701	1155.00	1762	231.00
1458	132.00	1519	6325.00	1580	231.00	1641	330.00	1702	797.50	1763	132.00
1459	88.00	1520	1760.00	1581	220.00	1642	308.00	1703	1100.00	1764	110.00
1460	1760.00	1521	132.00	1582	82.50	1643	253.00	1704	550.00	1765	297.00
1461	3300.00	1522	77.00	1583	60.50	1644	148.50	1705	121.00	1766	352.00
1462	10450.00	1523	528.00	1584	60.50	1645	319.00	1706	82.50	1767	60.50
1463	880.00	1524	242.00	1585	742.50	1646	148.50	1707	99.00		
1464	880.00	1525	165.00	1586	330.00	1647	990.00	1708	374.00		
1465	880.00	1526	82.50	1587	352.00	1648	88.00	1709	99.00		

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The
IRVING GOODMAN COLLECTION
of Russian Coinage

February 11, 12, 1991
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The IRVING GOODMAN COLLECTION of Russian Coinage



Mr. Irving Goodman was born in Toronto, Canada, but is really more of an American in heritage and outlook since his family moved to the United States when he was just 3 years old. He resided first in Detroit, became a United States citizen and ultimately moved to California in 1947 where he established a furniture manufacturing business. A key ingredient in this business was its importing facility, for through Mr. Goodman's travels around the globe in search of profitable import arrangements, he was able to scratch his coin collecting "itch" better than most collectors. Few have the wherewithal to pursue their hobbies with the devotion Mr. Goodman applied to his! (But more on this in a moment.)

This unassuming businessman first became intrigued with rare coins in 1959. On a business trip to the famous city-state of Hong Kong, one of the key import/export centers of the world and an important stopover point for his import business, Mr. Goodman happened into a local coin store where he noticed some United States trade dollars on display. He asked the proprietor what exactly were these curious coins. "Don't you even know what kind of coins America produced," was the owner's terse reply, as if talking to an ignorant schoolboy. For in truth, most of us are like ignorant schoolboys when it comes to our numismatic heritage; few Americans then or now had ever heard of such a thing as an American trade dollar; most folks considered coins as merely something to spend for merchandise one needs. Not so, Mr. Goodman. His interest was provoked by the remark, and he bought four of the Hong Kong shopkeeper's U.S. trade dollars. Thereupon began his long trek up the hill to becoming a rare coin specialist with this 1959 trip to Hong Kong.

Now, coincidentally Mr. Goodman's furniture manufacturing company was headquartered in downtown Los Angeles, at the time close by the offices of Superior Stamp & Coin. Soon after he returned from Hong Kong he went to Superior to discuss his U.S. trade dollar purchase and to learn more about them. There he met a youthful Lawrence Goldberg, son of one of the founders of the coin firm and soon to be one of its principals. Much to Mr. Goodman's astonishment, Larry Goldberg offered him **double** what he had paid for the coins. As can be imagined, this gave an added spark to his interest in coins and coin collecting.



A warm friendship developed between the young coin dealer and the beginning collector, a friendship that has grown and continues today. Mr. Goodman would arrive at the Goldberg's store each Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and, come 7:30 p.m. closing time, he'd still be there! In the beginning, before he discovered the wide array of global coins, he purchased exclusively United States coinage. For example, on some of those Saturday forays into Superior's store, he'd buy up every one of their commemorative half dollars. If he had a choice of several rare types, say 1928 Hawaiians or 1935 Spanish Trails, he'd buy extra pieces, having learned early on that rarities were the secret to collecting.

What Mr. Goodman had discovered is that certain issues took extra legwork to find. Sometimes, months would go by between offerings at auction; or he would see very few of the pieces he needed during his continent-hopping import business. Therefore, whenever he did come across a rarity, he'd snap it up. And if offered multiples (which happened now and then) he would purchase all that he could. That is why, when you thumb through this sale catalog of Mr. Goodman's Russian coinage collection, you'll find many instances where he has two or three examples of some of the rarest dates or types.

He concentrated on United States coinage at first, but soon branched out into Russian coins (his mother having been born in Russia), Chinese coins, and then, pretty much the whole world. Since Mr. Goodman was a globe-trotter, his coin collection and numismatic knowledge also took on a worldwide interest. For instance, in the last 30 years his business took him overseas **110 times** or an average of four times a year. We must envy him, for he had a distinct advantage over most business/collectors: he could arrange his trips so as to coincide with major numismatic shows or auctions, and thus enjoy his coin hobby at the same time he was conducting business!

He attended innumerable auctions held by Sotheby's and Glendinning's **in person**. Attending in person, rather than having an agent represent him, gave him a clear-cut advantage when he saw multiple lots or rare items or when a bargain bid was possible. To give readers a feel for how significant a force Mr. Goodman was in some of these sales, at the renowned Kann sale of Chinese coins, he was the largest buyer there, winning upwards of 50% of the lots sold! And at the famous 1969 Russian sale in Europe (where many of the following pieces last appeared), nearly every other coin carried the name "I. Goodman" after the lot number in the list of buyers distributed after the sale. (Buyers' lists were a normal part of auction sales in Europe for much of this century.) Summing his activity up in two appropriate words, Mr. Goodman was an **intense** buyer who built an **extensive** collection through downright hard work.

Not only was he a hard worker in his coin buying as in his own furniture business (early or late you could always get him on the phone at his company), his goals were admirably suited to assembling a formidable collection of world coins. These goals, also, were two-fold: **Quality and Completeness**. He was primarily a collector, not an investor. And as a collector, he acquired an extensive library of numismatic books, periodicals, and auction catalogs to help further his knowledge of the subject. Today he is one of the top scholars in both the Chinese and the Russian field.

As you can see by this catalog, his quality is next to none while his completeness is such that this sale will go down in the annals of numismatics as one of the key Source Guides for Russian coinage. Mr. Goodman always keeps the **Quality** end clearly before him. If, in buying a Russian coin, he encountered a better specimen than one he already had, he'd upgrade. If the upgraded specimen was also a rare date, he'd keep the first piece as a backup, knowing how tough these key coins are to find in any grade. He wanted only the best (as he still does in his other world coin collections), Uncirculated or Proof, especially the Proofs which, in Russian coinage, are extremely limited issues.

Today, books on Russian coins as well as Chinese are hard to find. Consider how elusive they were in the early 1960's, then, when Mr. Goodman began his collection! Although few good sources were readily available, he bought everything he could find and then updated these with copious notes as new information came to hand; notes and source books, combined with Nature's unbeatable computer, the human brain, allowed him to become an authority in several fields at once.



Why is he selling his Russian set? And why will we auctioning Mr. Goodman's impressive Chinese coins in the coming months? He told us he considers all numismatists to be temporary custodians of coins; a form of guardianship which is then passed along to the next generation of collectors. He believes he has gone as far as he can in his 30-year quest for knowledge about Russian and Chinese coins. Now he wants to devote more time to the other countries he is working on. (Someday, these too will appear in auction.) A man has only so many hours available to him to read and to examine coins, to attend overseas auctions and overseas business. Mr. Goodman spends countless hours in his bank's deposit vault every month tending to his wide-ranging collections, upgrading them, cataloging them, reminiscing over them—dare we say, loving them?—indeed, he maintains an extensive list of the coins he needs, a list of every coin made, which he carries with him.

Like any devotee of coins, we asked him whether he intends to hold any of his Russian pieces aside. No, he said, his policy is that once he decides to sell he holds nothing back. He makes a clean break with the past so as to be able to devote his entire attention to his current collecting interest. He passes his custodianship onto the next numismatist.

Therefore, once this sale takes place, they're gone. **Never again**—we repeat, never again—will you have the opportunity, the joy, of looking through such a wide selection of Russian coins; never again will you have all your legwork done for you. For in a nutshell, Mr. Goodman has, through his 30 years' travelling around the world, done more than one man's lifetime worth of searching for rare Russian coins. Take heed! His diligence and effort is presented to you here on a silver platter as it were, since before you are some of the handsomest Proofs and Mint State Russian coins ever seen on the numismatic market. Many of these will doubtless go into hiding once more. They may never again surface in your lifetime. This is undeniably one of the two or three greatest Russian collections sold in the 20th century.

Do you begin to see how a very modest person, a discreet collector like Mr. Goodman, working methodically year after year could assemble the enormous collection he built? He wasn't glitzy in his habits; no razzle-dazzle "see what I have done" chest-pounding was required. On the contrary, by taking a low key approach he gained the friendship of important collectors and dealers and students of the hobby

and so earned a worldwide reputation among those in the know as one of the leading experts in the Russian series. His was a knowledge vast, a warehouse of minutiae. And yet he did not selfishly guard what he had stored; for any who had interests similar to Mr. Goodman's received his welcome assistance. When all is said and done, he is, wholeheartedly, a gentleman.

We at Superior are **honored** that he chose our firm to sell his Russian holdings (and, later this year, his Chinese collection). For the ultimate compliment a collector can give is to sell his collection back through the firm that helped guide him in his collecting career. It is his way of saying "Thank you for taking care of me."

In response, we'd also like to say **Thank You**, Irv, we will do as good a job of selling your coins as you did collecting them! You are a friend of our company and will remain so forever.

Superior Galleries wishes to express our gratitude to
James Elmen
for his invaluable assistance and cataloguing efforts
on the Irving Goodman Collection of Russian coinage.

We also wish to thank
Stephen Harvey

Order of Sale

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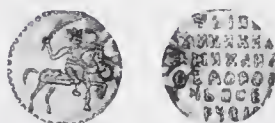
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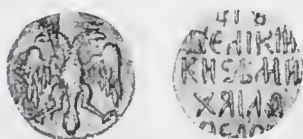
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- 1 **Novodel Gold Wire Money Denga, ND (1613-1645).** Fr-23; as Reichel-640. 0.67 grams. Czar riding right. Reverse: Six line legend. Slightly wavy planchet. **Extremely Fine** (\$1250-1500)



See Color Plate 1

- 2 **Novodel Gold Wire Money Denga, ND (1613-1645).** Fr-23; as Reichel-640. 0.48 grams. Czar riding right. Reverse: Six line legend. With wavy edge. **Extremely Fine** (\$1250-1500)
Ex Virgil Brand Collection.



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- 3 **Novodel 1/4 Ducat, ND (1613-1645).** Fr-29. 1.06 grams. Eagle. Reverse: Five line legend. Struck with rusty dies. Very Rare. **Extremely Fine.** (\$1250-1500)
Ex Jascha Heifetz Collection.

PETER I "THE GREAT"



See Color Plate 1

- 4 **Novodel Ruble Struck in Gold, 1705.** Fr-62 (this coin); Sev-12. Struck in gold in the weight of 13 Ducats, 44.22 grams, plain edge. Struck from the dies of the novodel ruble of 1705 (Sev-185). Rim bump at 3 o'clock. Prooflike surfaces. **Extremely Rare. About Uncirculated** (\$15,000-UP)



See Color Plate 1

- 5 **Ducat, 1711.** Fr-74; Sev-21; GM-1709 plate 56 no.1. **Very Fine.** (\$4000-5000)
This type with the eagle on the reverse holding 4 charts in its beaks and talons commemorates Russia's sovereignty over the White, Baltic, Caspian and Black Seas. Due to an unfortunate turn of war and to avoid his imminent capture, Peter signed a treaty with Turkey in July 1711, relinquishing Azov and thus lost his access to the Black Sea. These ducats were then promptly withdrawn from circulation and are as a result extremely rare.
Ex. B. F. Brekke Collection by private treaty



See Color Plate 1

- 6 Novodel 2 Ducats, 1714. Fr-72; Sev-39. Minor rim flaw. Rare. Extremely Fine (\$4000—UP)



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- 7 2 Rubles, 1718. Fr-77; Sev-51. Small natural flan clip. Extremely Fine. (\$700-900)



See Color Plate 1

- 8 2 Rubles, 1720. Fr-77; Sev-57. Extremely Fine (\$750-1000)

CATHERINE I



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- 9 2 Rubles, 1726. Fr-85; Sev-106A. Rare. Very Fine to Extremely Fine. (\$2000—UP)

ELIZABETH



See Color Plate 1

- 10 10 Rubles, 1756 (СПБ). Fr-105; Sev-217A. Struck on a broad flan. Light graffiti in field. Rare type. Very Fine (\$1250-1500)



See Color Plate 1

- 11 2 Rubles, 1756. Fr-99; Sev-207. Struck on a broad flan, lustrous. Extremely Fine (\$500-600)



See Color Plate 1

- 12 2 Rubles, 1756. Fr-99; Sev-204. Natural rim flaw. Very Fine to Extremely Fine (\$300-400)



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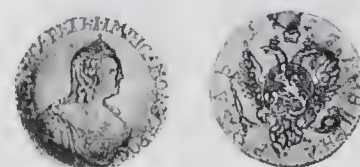
- 13 5 Rubles, 1756 (no mint mark). Fr-107; Sev-213. Well struck. About Extremely Fine (\$1250-1500)

- 14 Poltina, 1756. Fr-101; Sev-192. Choice Very Fine (\$125-150)



See Color Plate 1

- 15 Ruble, 1756. Fr-100; Sev-196. Planchet flaws on obverse. Extremely Fine (\$250-300)



See Color Plate 1

- 16 Ruble, 1757 7 over 6. Fr-100; Sev-199. Clear overdate. Planchet flaw on reverse. Very Fine (\$175-200)



- 17 10 Rubles, 1759 (СПБ). Fr-105; Sev-239. Lightly cleaned. Last year of type. Very Scarce. Very Fine (\$1500-2000)



See Color Plate 1

- 18 5 Rubles, 1759 (СПБ). Fr-107; Sev-237. Last year of type and very scarce. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$2000—UP)

PETER III



See Color Plate 1

- 19 10 Rubles, 1762 (СПБ). Fr-109; Sev-248. Minor rim flaws. **Extremely Fine** (\$2500—UP)
Very rare as Peter reigned for less than six months and much of his coinage was withdrawn and overstruck.

CATHERINE II



- 20 10 Rubles, 1772 (СПБ). Fr-112; Sev-301. **Very Fine** (\$700-900)



See Color Plate 1

- 21 10 Rubles, 1777 (СПБ). Fr-112; Sev-316. Scrape in field behind bust. **Extremely Fine** (\$650-750)
22 **Poltina**, 1777. Fr-119; Sev-312A. Pierced at top. **Very Fine** . (\$50-65)



- 23 **Ruble**, 1779. Yr-118; Sev-321. Uneven edge. **Very Fine** . . (\$125-150)



See Color Plate 1

- 24 5 Rubles, 1791 (СПБ). Fr-113; Sev-344. **Extremely Fine** (\$700-900)



See Color Plate 1

- 25 **Novodel 10 Rubles**, 1796 (СПБ). Fr-112; Sev-357. Prooflike with a natural die flaw at edge. Last year of reign and very rare as an original or novodel, only a few pieces known of this date. **Uncirculated** (\$5000—UP)

PAUL



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- 26 **Novodel 5 Rubles**, 1800-АИ (СБ). Fr-125; Sev-Unlisted; Uzd-Unlisted; GM-Unlisted. Extremely rare muling of obverse die of 1800 with reverse die of 1801. Struck on a broad planchet. Prooflike surfaces with slight weakness at edge. **Uncirculated**. (\$7500—UP)
See: Journal of the Russian Numismatic Society number 30, Spring 1988 for a complete description of this particular coin and its significance.
Ex Virgil Brand Collection,
the only recorded specimen of this variety.

ALEXANDER I

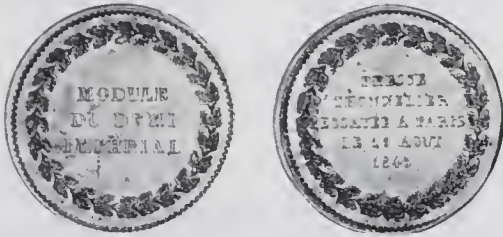


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- 27 10 Rubles, 1804-ХЛ (СПБ). Fr-129; Sev-381. Brilliant and fully lustrous. Rare in high grade. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$3500—UP)
28 5 Rubles, 1825-ПД (СПБ). Fr-133; Sev-395. **Fine** (\$125-150)
29 25 Zlotych, 1817-I.B. Fr-35. Weak bust detail. **Very Fine** (\$150-175)

NICHOLAS I

- 30 5 Rubles, 1842-AЧ (СПБ). Fr-138; Sev-442. Lustrous. Extremely Fine. (\$150-175)
- 31 5 Rubles, 1844-КБ (СПБ). Fr-138; Sev-447. Extremely Fine. (\$150-175)



- 32 Pattern Demi-Imperial (5 Rubles) 1845. Sev-3486A, GM-697 note. Silver, 23.4 mm, 4.82 grams. By Thonnelier of Paris. Three line legend in wreath. Reverse: Five line legend in wreath. Deeply toned. Extremely Rare. **About Uncirculated** (\$1000—UP)
Michailovitch states that these coining trails were struck in copper by Thonnelier in Paris and the silver strikes were executed in St. Petersburg.
Ex Sotheby Russian Museum sale, London October 1969, Lot 577



- 33 5 Rubles, 1845-КБ (СПБ). Fr-138; Sev-449. Choice About Uncirculated (\$175-200)
- 34 5 Rubles, 1846-АГ (СПБ). Fr-138; Sev-451. Lustrous. Extremely Fine. (\$150-175)



- 35 3 Rubles or 20 Zlotych, 1835-ПД (СПБ). Fr-40 (Poland); Sev-416. Scarce type. Choice Very Fine (\$250-300)



- 36 3 Rubles or 20 Zlotych, 1838-MW (Warsaw). Fr-42; Sev-430. Only 66 pieces struck. Trace of mount removed at top on rim, lustrous. Very Rare date of Rare type. **Very Fine** (\$500—UP)

ALEXANDER II



- 37 5 Rubles, 1869-HI (СПБ). Fr-146; Sev 486. Uncirculated (\$200-250)

- 38 5 Rubles, 1872-HI (СПБ). Fr-146; Sev-492. About Uncirculated. (\$100-125)
- 39 5 Rubles, 1880-HФ (СПБ). Fr-146; Sev-511. About Uncirculated. (\$100-125)
- 40 3 Rubles, 1881-HФ (СПБ). Fr-147; Sev-514. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$175-200)



- 41 Gold Medal, 1879. Cf. Michailovitch Medal Collection sale, Christie's July 1950, lot 398. 26.3 mm, 16.81 grams. Fifty Year Jubilee of the Emperor as the chief of the 3rd Brandenburg (Prussia) Uhlanen Regiment. Bust of Alexander II facing right. Reverse: Dates 1829/1879 in wreath. Legend in German. Prooflike with original loop. **About Uncirculated** (\$400-500)



- 42 Gold Prize Medal, ND (1855-1881). 65 mm, 168.83 grams, by H. Gube. Bust of Alexander II right. Reverse: "PRAEMIA DIGNO" in wreath. With museum number "525" faintly scratched in reverse field. Prooflike. Rare. **About Uncirculated** (\$2500—UP)



- 43 Gold Prize Medal, ND (1855-1881). 50 mm, 85.59 grams, by H.Gube. Bust of Alexander II right. Reverse: "PRAEMIA DIGNO" in wreath. Prooflike with rim bump. About Uncirculated (\$1250—UP)



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- 44 Gold Prize Medal, ND (1855-1881). 36 mm, 44.39 grams, unsigned. Gold prize medal from the St. Petersburg Technological Institute. Prooflike. Rare. About Uncirculated to Uncirculated (\$650—UP)

ALEXANDER III

- 45 5 Rubles, 1882-НФ (СПБ). Fr-148; Sev-517. Choice About Uncirculated (\$125-150)

NICHOLAS II

- 46 15 Rubles, 1897-АГ. Fr-159; Sev-559. Choice Very Fine . (\$150-175)



- 47 7½ Rubles, 1897-АГ. Fr-160; Sev-557. Scarce in high grade. About Uncirculated (\$175-200)



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- 48 37 Rubles 50 Kopecks (100 Francs), 1902. Fr-152; Sev-578. Very rare double denomination issue with only 225 pieces struck. Prooflike. Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated. (\$12,500—UP)
This one year type was used by Czar Nicholas II as a personal presentation piece to be given away on special occasions.



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- 49 5 Rubles, 1902-AP. Fr-162; Sev-576. Light handling marks. Proof. (\$600—UP)

MISCELLANEOUS

- 50 Lot of 5 Rubles. 1850, 1877, 1898, 1899. Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Lot of 4 coins (\$275-325)

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ALEXEI MICHAILOVITCH, 1645-1676

The son of Michael Romanov, the founder of the Romanov dynasty, Alexei succeeded to the throne at the age of 16. His reign is noted for wars with Poland and Sweden which resulted in Muscovy's expansion into the Ukraine and particularly the acquisition of Kiev and Smolensk. He had three surviving sons, Feodor, Ivan and Peter, all of whom eventually reigned as Czar.

Silver and Copper Coins and Medals of Russia



See Color Plate 1

- 51 **Novodel Jefimok Ruble, 1654.** Reichel-715. Novodel striking of the excessively rare first crown of Russia. Deeply toned. **Extremely Fine.** (\$1000-1250)



- 52 **Jefimok, 1655.** Spassky-798. Rider and date counterstamps on Gelderland 1650 Rijksdaalder. Deeply toned. Rare. **Very Fine.** (\$700-900)



- 53 **Novodel Polupoltinnik, 1/4 Jefimok Ruble, 165.** Reichel-4570. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$500-750)

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PETER I, 1682-1725

The son of Czar Alexei Michailovitch and Natalia Narishkina, Peter was co-czar with his half-brother Ivan V under the regency of their sister Sophia from 1682 to 1689. After a palace revolution in 1689 removing Sophia, Peter ruled alone and began his famous Herculean tasks to modernize Russia militarily, technologically and culturally. Considering the internal resistance he encountered his successes were phenomenal.

Militarily his war making was directed by one major goal- -access to ice free ports for his navies. Obtaining Baltic ports led to the protracted Great Northern War against Charles XII of Sweden. Less successful wars were waged against the Turks to obtain access to the Black Sea.

Peter "the Great's" hands-on-management approach extended from pulling teeth to giving haircuts to building ships. He was directly involved in all of his reforms. It is said that when the first ruble coins with western style arabic dates were struck in 1707 it was Peter himself who operated the coining press. He was certainly the most dynamic ruler of his time and the dominant figure of Russian history.



54 Ruble, 1704. Dav-1642; Sev-151; Uzd-453. Rare first date ruble. Choice Extremely Fine (\$1500-1750)



55 Ruble, 1704. Dav-1642; Sev-151; Uzd-453. Toned. Rare. Very Fine. (\$1000-1250)



56 Ruble, 1704. Dav-1642; Sev-151; Uzd-453. Rim flaw. Toned. Rare. Very Fine (\$1000-1250)



57 Novodel Ruble, 1705. Dav-1642; Sev-185; Uzd-470. Very Rare. Extremely Fine (\$1500-1750)



58 Ruble, 1705 МД. Dav-1642; Sev-179; Uzd-471. Field marks. Fine to Very Fine (\$300-350)



59 Ruble, 1705. Dav-1642; Sev-182; Uzd-470. Field marks. Toned. Very Fine (\$400-500)



60 Novodel Ruble, 1707 (Arabic date). Dav-1645; Sev-235; Uzd-490. Some hairlines. Very Rare. About Uncirculated (\$2000-2500)



61 Ruble, 1707 (Arabic date). Dav-1645; Sev-232; Uzd-490. First Arabic dated ruble. Attractively toned. Very Rare. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$2500-3000)



62 Ruble, 1707 (Arabic date). Dav-1645; Sev-232; Uzd-490. Toned. Very Rare. **Very Fine**.
..... (\$2000-2500)



63 Ruble, 1707 (Cyrillic date). Dav-1645; Sev-230; Uzd-492. Minor rim nicks. **Very Fine**.
..... (\$500-650)



64 Ruble, 1710. Dav-1649; Sev-264; Uzd-505. Very rare variety with new bust type. **About Very Fine**.
..... (\$2000-2500)



65 Ruble, 1710. Dav-1648; Sev-262; Uzd-503. Very Rare date. **Fine to Very Fine**.
..... (\$1000-1250)



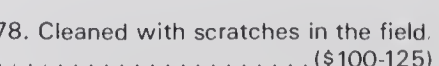
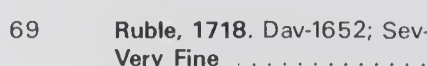
66 Ruble, 1710. Dav-1648; Sev-262; Uzd-503. Trace of mounting. Very Rare. **Fine to Very Fine**.
..... (\$500-700)



67 Ruble, 1712. Dav-1650; Sev-291; Uzd-516. Mount trace on rim. **Very Fine**.
..... (\$300-350)



68 Ruble, 1714 4 over 3. Dav-1651; Sev-317; Uzd-530. The rarest date ruble of Peter the Great. Beautifully toned. **Extremely important. Very Fine**.
..... (\$3500-4500)



69 Ruble, 1718. Dav-1652; Sev-378. Cleaned with scratches in the field. **Very Fine**.
..... (\$100-125)



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- 70 Ruble, 1719. Dav-1653; Sev-418. "OK" on sleeve, "L" on tail. Toned. Choice Very Fine (\$200-250)



- 71 Ruble, 1720. Dav-1654; Sev-467. "OK" on sleeve. Choice Very Fine. (\$225-275)

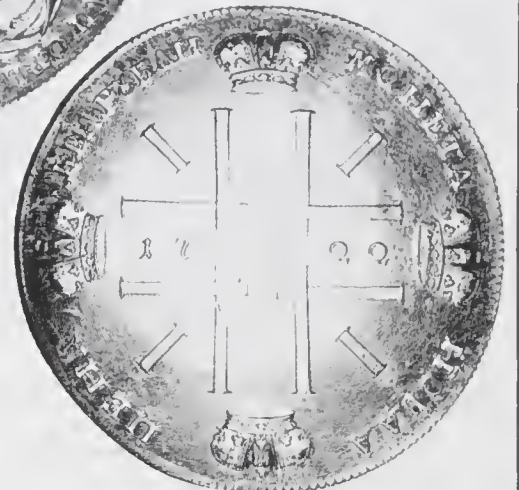
- 72 Ruble, 1720. Dav-1654; Sev-470a. With scratches and broach mount on reverse. Very Fine (\$75-100)



- 73 Ruble, 1721. Dav-1655; Sev-511. "K" on sleeve. Slightly weak on eagle's breast. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$500-700)

- 74 Ruble, 1721. Dav-1655; Sev-501. Fine (\$75-100)

VERY RARE CHOICE 1722 DOUBLE RUBLE

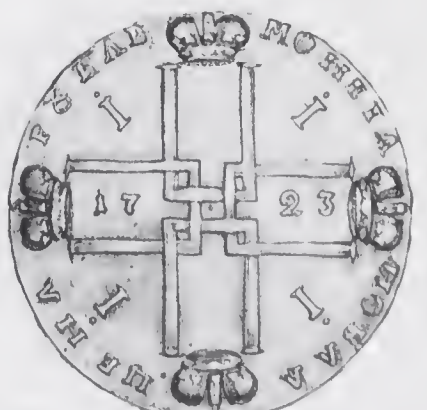


- 75 Novodel Double Ruble, 1722. Sev-533; Dav & Son-561; Uzd-578. 53.68 grams, edge 6 instead of 1. Struck with rusty dies, light handling. Proof (\$5000-6000)
One of the finest we have seen.

- 76 Ruble, 1722. Dav-1656; Sev-528. With some scratches in the fields. Rare date. Fine (\$125-150)



- 77 Novodel Ruble, 1723 (СПБ). Sev-607 (extremely rare); Uzd-587. Extremely Rare. Choice Extremely Fine (\$3000-3500)
Anachronistic novodel as the St. Petersburg mint did not strike rubles until 1724!



See Color Plate 1

- 78 Ruble, 1723. Dav-1658; Sev-563. Beautifully toned. Very Fine to Extremely Fine (\$300-350)

- 79 Ruble, 1723. Dav-1657; Sev-586. Minor rim flaws. About Very Fine. (\$150-175)
- 80 Ruble, 1723. Dav-1657; Sev-592. Error in edge legend. Fine to Very Fine (\$125-150)



- 81 Novodel Ruble, 1724 (СПБ). Dav-1659; Sev-Unlisted; Uzd-595. Excessively Rare. Extremely Fine (\$3000-3500)
Missing from all published major Russian collections. We believe this to be the first specimen offered for public sale.

- 82 Ruble, 1724 (Moscow). Dav-1660; Sev-637. Reverse flan flaws. About Very Fine (\$125-150)

- 83 Ruble, 1724 (Moscow). Dav-1660; Sev-641. Variety with "OK". Fine. (\$100-125)



- 84 Ruble, 1725 (Moscow). Dav-1662; Sev-694. Variety with "OK". Well struck. Choice Very Fine (\$225-275)

- 85 Ruble, 1725 (Moscow). Dav-1662; Sev-686. Planchet striations. About Very Fine (\$150-175)

- 86 Ruble, 1725 (Moscow). Dav-1662; Sev-684. Variety with "OK". Minor flan flaws. Fine (\$75-100)

- 87 Ruble, 1725 (Moscow). Dav-1662; Sev-692. Reverse flan flaws. Fine. (\$75-100)



See Plate 1

- 88 Novodel Poltina, 1702. Sev-65A; Uzd-Unlisted. Beautifully toned and prooflike. Very Rare date and grade. A very rare date and seldom seen this choice. Should bring a runaway price. About Uncirculated (\$2000-UP)



- 89 Novodel Poltina, 1704. Sev-1208; Uzd-455. Prooflike. Very Rare. Extremely Fine (\$700-900)



- 90 Novodel Poltina, 1704. Sev-120B; Uzd-455. Choice Very Fine. (\$500-600)



- 91 Poltina, 1704 (МД). Sev-125; Uzd-456. Cleaned and with edge marks. Very Fine (\$200-250)



- 92 Novodel Poltina, 1705. Sev-165A; Uzd-473. Prooflike. Rare. Extremely Fine (\$700-900)



- 93 Poltina, 1705. Sev-159; Uzd-473. Toned. Rare this nice. Very Fine to Extremely Fine (\$400-500)



94 Poltina, 1705. Sev-161; Uzd-473. Attractive and very elusive in nice grade. **Very Fine** (\$225-275)

95 Poltina, 1705. Sev-164; Uzd-473. Flan clip. **Very Fine** . . . (\$150-175)



96 Poltina, 1706. Sev-194; Uzd-486. Trace of cleaning. Very Scarce. **Very Fine** (\$225-275)

97 Poltina, 1706. Sev-192; Uzd-486. Light scratches in obverse field. **Fine to Very Fine** (\$125-175)



98 Poltina, 1707 (Cyrillic date). Sev-227; Uzd-494. Choice **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$600-700)



99 Poltina, 1707 (Cyrillic date). Sev-227; Uzd-494. Lightly cleaned. Choice **Very Fine** (\$400-500)



100 Poltina, 1707 (Cyrillic date). Sev-227; Uzd-494. Cleaned. **Very Fine**. (\$300-400)



101 Novodel Poltina, 1712. Sev-287; Uzd-517. Moderate hairlines and handling marks. Rare type. **Extremely Fine** (\$600-800)

102 Poltina, 1718. Sev-347; Uzd-544. Severely polished. Very Scarce. **Very Fine** (\$75-100)

103 Poltina, 1718. Sev-341; Uzd-541. Natural flan clip. Scarce. **Fine**. (\$75-100)

104 Poltina, 1719. Sev-402; Uzd-563. Variety with "Peter" misspelled. Scratch in field. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)

105 Poltina, 1719. Sev-405. Error date "1718" in edge legend. Scratches in the fields. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)

106 Poltina, 1719. Sev-405; Uzd-563. Error date "1718" in edge legend. Scrapes on obverse. **Very Fine** (\$75-100)

107 Poltina, 1720. Sev-453; Uzd-572. Bust and eagle detail re-engraved. Toned. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)



108 Poltina, 1721. Sev-493; Uzd-577. Well struck, scarce this nice. Choice **Very Fine** (\$200-250)

109 Poltina, 1721. Sev-489; Uzd-577. Rim flaw. **Fine to Very Fine**. (\$100-125)



110 Poltina, 1722 (Cyrillic date). Sev-522; Uzd-580. Overdate "B" over "A". Lightly toned and superb. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$450-550)

Coinage of Peter I

- 111 Poltina, 1723. Sev-543; Uzd-589. St. Andrew Order type. Harshly cleaned. **Very Fine** (\$100-125)
- 112 Poltina, 1723. Sev-537; Uzd-589. St. Andrew Order type. **Choice Fine**.
..... (\$125-150)
- 113 Poltina, 1723. Sev-542; Uzd-589. St. Andrew Order type. Minor flan flaws. **Fine** (\$100-125)
- 114 Poltina, 1723. Sev-547; Uzd-590. So-called "Moscow bust type". **Fine** (\$75-100)



See Color Plate I

- 115 Novodel Poltina, 1725. Sev-654; Uzd-615. Plain edge. Broad planchet. Prooflike and beautifully toned. **Rare. About Uncirculated** (\$800-1200)



- 116 Novodel Poltina, 1725 (СПБ). Sev-653; Uzd-615. Reeded edge. Prooflike, **Rare. About Uncirculated** (\$800-1000)
Ex Virgil Brand Collection, Spink-Zurich, April 1986, Lot 47



- 117 Novodel Polupoltinnik, 1702. as Sev-53; Uzd-431. **Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$600-800)



- 118 Novodel Polupoltinnik, 1704 (МД). Sev-111; Uzd-458. Prooflike. **Very Rare. About Uncirculated** (\$700-900)



- 119 Novodel Polupoltinnik, 1704 (МД). Sev-111; Uzd-458. Prooflike. **Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$600-800)
Ex Virgil Brand Collection, Sotheby's, November 1983, Lot 43
Ex Klingert Collection, Hess, May 1910, Lot 464



- 120 Polupoltinnik, 1704 (МД). Sev-108; Uzd-458. Attractively toned. **Very Fine** (\$325-375)
Ex Virgil Brand Collection, Spink-Zurich, April 1986, Lot 49

- 121 Polupoltinnik, 1704 (МД). Sev-108; Uzd-458. Broken obverse die. **Fine**.
..... (\$125-150)

- 122 Polupoltinnik, 1704 (no mint mark). Sev-107; Uzd-459. **Rare. Very Good to Fine**.
..... (\$125-175)



- 123 Polupoltinnik, 1705. Sev-156; Uzd-480. **Rare type. Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$350-400)



- 124 Polupoltinnik, 1707 (Cyrillic date). Sev-224; Uzd-496. **Scarce. Very Fine** (\$200-250)



- 125 Polupoltinnik, 1710. Sev-257; Uzd-509. Minor flan flaw on reverse. **Rare type. Very Fine** (\$350-400)



See Color Plate 1

- 126 **Novodel Polupoltinnik, 1713.** Sev-308; Uzd-522. Superbly toned. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$700-900)
- 127 **Polupoltinnik, 1713.** Sev-307; Uzd-521. Broken obverse die as usual. **Very Good to Fine** (\$125-150)
- 128 **Polupoltinnik, 1713.** Sev-307; Uzd-521. With severe flaws and scratches on obverse. **Fine** (\$75-100)



- 129 **Novodel Tynf, 1708-IL-L.** Sev-244; Uzd-4792. Struck on heavy 10.2 gram planchet. **Rare. Choice Extremely Fine** (\$600-800)



- 130 **Novodel Grivennik, 1701.** Sev-26A; Uzd-426. Prooflike. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$500-700)



- 131 **Grivennik, 1704-M.** Sev-91; Uzd-462. **Rare this nice. Extremely Fine.** (\$250-300)



- 132 **Novodel Grivna, 1705-BK.** Sev-Unlisted, as 155; Uzd-485. Thick planchet of 2.83 grams. **Prooflike. Choice About Uncirculated.** (\$400-600)



- 133 **Novodel Grivna, 1705-BK.** Sev-Unlisted (as 155); Uzd-485. Thin planchet of 2.1 grams. **Extremely Fine** (\$300-400)

- 134 **Grivna, 1705-BK.** Sev-155; Uzd-485. Weakly struck centers. **Scarce. Very Fine** (\$100-125)



- 135 **Novodel Grivna, 1709-BK.** Sev-249A; Uzd-501. Prooflike. **Rare. About Uncirculated** (\$400-500)

- 136 **Grivna, 1709-BK.** Sev-249; Uzd-501. Small planchet clip. **About Very Fine** (\$100-125)



- 137 **Novodel Grivennik, 1718.** Sev-336; Uzd-550. Prooflike. **Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$350-450)



- 138 **Grivennik, 1718.** Sev-332; Uzd-547. Very rare variety with "L" on obverse only. **Choice Fine** (\$200-300)

- 139 **Altyn, 1704-BK.** Sev-84. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)

- 140 **Altyn, 1704-BK.** Sev-80. mainly **Very Fine.** Lot of 4 coins (\$150-175)

- 141 **Altyn, 1712.** Sev-281. **Rare. Very Fine** (\$150-175)

- 142 **Altyn, 1718.** Sev-326. Variety with inverted "L" under date. **Choice Very Fine** (\$100-125)

- 143 **Altyn, 1718.** Sev-323. **Choice Very Fine** (\$75-100)

- 144 **5 Kopecks, 1725 (MД).** B-293. **Scarce. Fine** (\$40-50)



See Color Plate 2

- 145 **Novodel Kopeck, 1713 (MД).** B-224. Struck from deformed dies. Lustrous. **Rare. About Uncirculated** (\$300-400)

- 146 **Kopeck, 1718.** Sev-319; Uzd-553. Variety with inverted "L" under date. **Very Fine** (\$75-100)

- 147 **Polushka, 1702.** B-9. Very Scarce. **Choice Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** (\$100-125)

- 148 **Medal, 1725.** Iverson-LVII/5. Bronze. 38.2 mm, by J. Dassier. Death of Peter the Great. Laureate armored bust right. Reverse: Neptune and Minerva seated. Heavily toned. **Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)

- 149 **Ruble, 1725 (Moscow).** Dav-1662, Sev-692. Mount mark, **Fine; Ruble, 1725 (Moscow).** Dav-1662, Sev-686. Fields tooled. **Fine; Poltina, 1724.** Sev-615, Uzd-598. Distinct type with bust inside legend. **Very Good/Fair.** Lot of 3 coins (\$125-175)

- 150 Lot of Copper minors: **Kopeck, 1706-BK.** B-170. corroded; **Kopeck, 1707 MД.** B-185; **Kopeck, 1710 MД.** B-204; **Kopeck, 1713 MД.** B-223; **Kopeck, 1713 HД.** B-227; **Kopeck, 1715 HД.** B-238. worn; **5 Kopecks, 1725 MД.** B-292. **Good to Fine.** Lot of 7 coins (\$100-125)

- 151 Lot of Copper minors: **Denga, 1703.** B-101; **Denga, 1703.** B-107; **Denga, 1704;** **Polushka, 1705;** **Denga, 1712.** Date error "IB"; **Denga, 1713.** B-146. **Averages Fine.** Lot of 6 coins (\$100-150)

- 152 **Denga, 1704.** B-110. **Fine;** **Kopeck, 1705-MД.** B-166. scratches. **Fine;** **Polushka, 1718 (Arabic date).** B-56. **Choice Very Fine;** **Polushka, 1721 (Cyrillic date).** B-73. Crudely struck. **Extremely Fine.** Lot of 4 coins (\$150-175)



CATHERINE I, 1725-1727

Born Martha Skovronsky in Lithuania in 1683, the future empress had a most untraditional rise to power. She was orphaned as a baby and raised by a Lutheran minister who married her to an occupying Swedish soldier to get rid of her. Shortly thereafter the Swedes were forced out of Marienburg and she became a Russian prisoner of war who was sold to Prince Menshikov who shipped her back to Moscow. It was there that she met Peter the Great, became his companion, lover and later, after his divorce, his wife. When she joined the Orthodox Church, she changed her name to Catherine Alexievna. She was Peter's constant companion through wars and peace and was crowned Empress-consort on May 7th 1724. She was with Peter at his death and succeeded immediately to the throne, being backed by Prince Menshikov and Count Tolstoy.

Her reign was peaceful, marred only by disputes with George I of England over problems between Hanover and Holstein. She died in May of 1727 at the age of 44.



153 Ruble, 1725. Dav-1663; Sev-704; GM-3. So-called "Mourning Ruble". First issue of Catherine I after the death of Peter the Great. Attractively toned and unflawed. Very Rare. **Very Fine** . (\$800-1000)



154 Ruble, 1725. Dav-1663; Sev-702; GM-4. "Mourning Ruble". **Very Fine**.
..... (\$700-900)



155 Ruble, 1725. Dav-1663; Sev-702; GM-4. "Mourning Ruble". Minor planchet lamination. **Very Fine** (\$600-800)



156 Ruble, 1725. Dav-1663; Sev-702; GM-4. "Mourning Ruble". Mount removed from rim and legend. **Very Fine** (\$350-450)



157 Ruble, 1725 (Moscow). Dav-1664; Sev-707. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine** (\$225-275)

158 Ruble, 1725 (СПБ). Dav-1664; Sev-756. Struck off center with digs in the field. **Fine** (\$75-100)



159 Ruble, 1726 (Moscow). Dav-1664; Sev-818. Toned. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$350-400)



160 Ruble, 1726 (Moscow). Dav-1665; Sev-823. Minor rim flaw. Superbly detailed portrait. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$350-400)

161 Ruble, 1726 (Moscow). Dav-1664; Sev-820. **Fine** (\$100-125)



162 Ruble, 1727 (СПБ). Dav-1665; Sev-899; GM-254. Very scarce bust sub-type. Beautifully toned. **Choice Very Fine** (\$325-375)



163 Ruble, 1727 (Moscow). Dav-1665; Sev-866. Light verdigris. Toned. Very Fine (\$175-225)

164 Ruble, 1727 (Moscow). Dav-1665; Sev-859. Porous surface. Fine to Very Fine (\$100-125)



See Color Plate 2

165 Novodel Poltina, 1726. Sev-783; GM-332 (Plate XXVI/4). Prooflike with beautiful toning. About Uncirculated (\$1000-1250)

166 Poltina, 1726 (Moscow). Sev-782. About Very Fine (\$75-100)

167 Poltina, 1726 (Moscow). H-5; Sev-781. Fine (\$75-100)

168 Poltina, 1727 (Moscow). H-7; Sev-853. Fine to Very Fine (\$100-125)



See Color Plate 2

169 Novodel Polupoltinnik, 1726 (СПБ). Sev-777; GM-334. Diagnostic broken reverse die as described in Michailovitch. Prooflike with lovely iridescent toning. Very Rare. About Uncirculated (\$1000-1250)



170 Novodel Grivna Plate Money, 1726. B-48; GM-340. 63mm X 63mm. Uniface. Very Scarce. Choice Uncirculated (\$1000-1500)



See Color Plate 2

171 Novodel 5 Kopecks Plate Money, 1726. B-41A. 41.9 X 42.1 mm, 41.65 grams. Very Scarce. Uncirculated (\$750-1000)



See Color Plate 2

172 Novodel Kopeck Plate Money, 1726. B-36; GM-343. 24mm X 23.8mm. Uniface. Extremely Rare. Uncirculated (\$1000-1500)

173 Ruble, 1726 (Moscow). Dav-1664; Sev-820. Edge filed. Fine to Very Fine; Poltina, 1726 (СПБ). H-6. Deep scratches on obverse. Fine; Poltina, 1726 (СПБ). H-6; Sev-802. Scrapes on obverse. Fine. Lot of 3 coins (\$125-175)

174 5 Kopecks, 1727 (НД). B-24; H-2. Very Fine; 5 Kopecks, 1727 (НД). B-24. Fine to Very Fine. Lot of 2 coins (\$60-80)



PETER II, 1727-1730

The only son of Alexei Petrovitch (the son of Peter the Great) and Charlotte Christina Sophia of Brunswick-Wolfenbützel. Peter was orphaned at the age of three and raised outside the court. His father, Alexei, was accused of conspiring against Peter the Great and died as a result of being tortured to obtain a confession. Young Peter's relatives urged his claims to inherit the throne and he succeeded Catherine I upon her death in May 1727. His brief reign is notable only for petty intrigues between rival noble families seeking to improve their political advantage. He died of smallpox on January 30th 1730 at the age of 14.



175 Ruble, 1727 (Moscow). Dav-1667; Sev-927. Cleaned. Extremely Fine.
.....(\$225-275)



176 Ruble, 1727 (Moscow). Dav-1667; Sev-930. Variety with network inside crowns. Very Fine
.....(\$175-225)

177 Ruble, 1727 (Moscow). Dav-1667; Sev-918. Planchet laminations on reverse. Very Fine
.....(\$100-125)

178 Ruble, 1728 (Moscow). Dav-1668; Sev-975. Weakly struck. Very Fine.
.....(\$125-150)

179 Ruble, 1728 (Moscow). Dav-1668. Mount mark. Fine
.....(\$50-70)



180 Ruble, 1729 (Moscow). Dav-1668; Sev-Unlisted; GM-145. Rare bust variety. Choice Very Fine
.....(\$300-350)



181 Ruble, 1729 (Moscow). Dav-1669; Sev-1013. Variety with sash across bust. Very Fine
.....(\$200-250)



182 Poltina, 1727 (Moscow). H-22; Sev-904. Very Rare this nice. Very Fine to Extremely Fine
.....(\$350-400)



183 Poltina, 1728 (Moscow). H-22; Sev-949. Rare this nice. Choice Very Fine
.....(\$300-350)



184 Poltina, 1729 (Moscow). H-22; Sev-990. Small scrape in obverse field. Rare. Very Fine
.....(\$225-275)

185 Kopeck, 1729. B-15. Choice Very Fine
.....(\$50-65)

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ANNA IVANOVNA, 1730-1740

The daughter of Czar Ivan V, half-brother of Peter the Great, Anna was married to Duke Freidrich Wilhelm of Courland in 1710. He died the same year and she ruled alone as Duchess of Courland at the court of Mitau until the death of Peter II in 1730, when she accepted the Russian crown.

Militarily successful, she was allied with Austria in support of Augustus of Saxony in the war of the Polish Succession. She defeated Turkey in the Crimean War of 1736-1739 acquiring Azov and access to the Black Sea.

Childless, she adopted her grand-nephew Ivan (III) shortly before her death.



- 186 Ruble, 1730. Dav-1670; Sev-1043. Lustrous. Rare date. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$350-400)



- 187 Ruble, 1731. Dav-1670; Sev-1070. Beautifully toned. **Choice Very Fine**. (\$200-250)



- 188 Ruble, 1731. Dav-1670; Sev-Unlisted. Unusual broad bust sub-type. **Very Fine** (\$200-250)
- 189 Ruble, 1732 2 over 1. Dav-1670; Sev-1092. Unusual overdate. Lightly cleaned with some lustre. **About Extremely Fine** (\$150-175)
- 190 Ruble, 1732. Dav-1670; Sev-1092. Cleaned. **Choice Very Fine**. (\$125-150)
- 191 Ruble, 1732. Dav-1670; Sev-1091. Planchet flaw at edge. **About Very Fine** (\$100-125)
- 192 Ruble, 1733. Dav-1671; Sev-1144. Struck from rusty dies. Faint scratch in field. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)
- 193 Ruble, 1733. Dav-1671; Sev-1132. Polished. **Very Fine** . . . (\$100-125)
- 194 Ruble, 1733. Dav-1671; Sev-1127. Fine to **Very Fine** (\$75-100)



- 195 Ruble, 1734. Dav-1672; Sev-1169; GM-104. Minor flan flaws. Very Scarce. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$350-400)
- 196 Ruble, 1734. Dav-1673; Sev-1191. Attractively toned. **Very Fine**. (\$150-175)
- 197 Ruble, 1734. Dav-1673; Sev-1183. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)
- 198 Ruble, 1734. Dav-1673; Sev-1191. **About Very Fine** (\$100-125)
- 199 Ruble, 1735. Dav-1673; Sev-1210. Cleaned. **Choice Very Fine**. (\$125-150)
- 200 Ruble, 1735. Dav-1673; Sev-1209. Reverse flan flaw. **Fine to Very Fine** (\$100-125)
- 201 Ruble, 1736. Dav-1673; Sev-1225. Well struck, lightly cleaned. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$150-200)
- 202 Ruble, 1736. Dav-1673; Sev-1225. Attractive. **Very Fine** . (\$150-200)



See Color Plate 2

- 203 Ruble, 1737. Dav-1674; Sev-1256. Hedlinger bust type. Cyrillic collector's punch "ГЛ" below the bust. This is the mark of the famous collector Gregory Lisenko, who died in 1842. See GM plate 1, No.10 for the identical punch on a 1730 ruble of Anna in the collection of the Grand Duke G. Michailovitch. With nearly full mint lustre. **Very Rare. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated** (\$600-800)



- 204 Ruble, 1737. Dav-1674; Sev-1264 variety. Hedlinger bust type. Attractive. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$250-300)



205 Ruble, 1737. Dav-1674; Sev-1255. Hedlinger bust type. Lustrous. Choice Very Fine (\$200-250)



206 Ruble, 1737. Dav-1674; Sev-1255. Well struck. Choice Very Fine. (\$200-250)

207 Ruble, 1737. Dav-1673; Sev-1253. Weak strike in legend. Toned. Very Fine (\$125-150)



208 Ruble, 1738 (СПБ). Dav-1675; Sev-1284. Choice About Extremely Fine (\$225-275)

209 Ruble, 1738 (СПБ). Dav-1675; Sev-1284. Fully struck with light surface corrosion. Very Fine (\$125-150)



210 Ruble, 1738. Dav-1675; Sev-1284. Cleaned. Extremely Fine. (\$200-250)

211 Ruble, 1738. Dav-1674; Sev-1274. About Very Fine (\$100-125)



212 Ruble, 1739 (СПБ). Dav-1675; Sev-1307. Harshly cleaned but fully struck. About Uncirculated. (\$300-350)



213 Ruble, 1739 (СПБ). Dav-1675; Sev-1309. Minor natural flan clip. Lustrous. About Extremely Fine (\$250-300)



214 Ruble, 1739 (СПБ). Dav-1675; Sev-1305. Beautifully toned. Choice Very Fine (\$225-275)

215 Ruble, 1739 (СПБ). Dav-1675; Sev-1308. Choice Fine .. (\$100-125)



216 Ruble, 1740 (СПБ). Dav-1675; Sev-1330. Last date ruble of Anna. Scarce. Choice Very Fine (\$200-250)

217 Ruble, 1740. Dav-1674; Sev-1328. Minor field marks. Scarce. About Very Fine (\$125-150)



- 218 Poltina, 1732. H-34; Sev-1087. Rare grade. **Extremely Fine** (\$225-275)
- 219 Poltina, 1732. H-34; Sev-1087. **Choice Very Fine** (\$150-175)
- 220 Poltina, 1732. H-34; Sev-1081. Light Scratches. **About Very Fine**.
 (\$75-100)
- 221 Poltina, 1732. H-34; Sev-1085. Struck over earlier poltina, scarce
 thus. **Choice Fine** (\$75-100)



- 222 Poltina, 1733. H-35; Sev-1117. With much original lustre. **Choice Very
 Fine** (\$175-225)
- 223 Poltina, 1734. H-35; Sev-1157. **Fine** (\$50-65)
- 224 Poltina, 1737. H-35; Sev-1238. Attractively toned. **Fine** . . (\$75-100)
- 225 Poltina, 1738. H-36; Sev-1267. Scarce. **About Fine** (\$60-75)
- 226 Poltina, 1739 (СПБ). H-37; Sev-1297. Blundered date in die, looks like
 1737. **Choice Fine** (\$100-125)
- 227 Poltina, 1740. H-36; Sev-1321. Planchet flaw in field. Very Scarce.
 About Very Fine (\$125-150)



- 228 Polupoltinnik, 1739. H-33; Sev-1291A. Superb specimen for this
 scarce type. Mottled toning. **About Extremely Fine** (\$300-350)



- 229 Polupoltinnik, 1739. H-33; Sev-1291. Planchet lamination in bust. Very
 scarce. **About Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)



- 230 Polupoltinnik, 1739. H-33; Sev-1291A. Minor edge scrape on reverse.
 About Extremely Fine (\$200-250)
- 231 Polupoltinnik, 1739. H-33; Sev-1291. **Very Fine** (\$150-175)
- 232 Polupoltinnik, 1739. H-33; Sev-1291. **Fine** (\$125-150)
- 233 Polupoltinnik, 1739. H-33; Sev-1291. Planchet striations. **Fine**.
 (\$100-125)
- 234 Grivennik, 1735. H-32; Sev-1199. Minor flan clip. Scarce date. **Very
 Fine** (\$100-125)



See Color Plate 2

- 235 Novodel Polushka, 1735. H-30; B-11. Broken reverse die as always.
 Struck on a thick 5.63 gram flan. Lustrous. Very scarce. **About
 Uncirculated** (\$200-250)
- 236 Ruble, 1731. Dav-1670. Heavily corroded and cleaned. **Fine**; Ruble,
 1732. Dav-1670; Sev-1096. Slightly bent and surface etched. **Very
 Fine**; Ruble, 1733. Dav-1671; Sev-1132. **Choice Fine** Lot of 3 coins.
 (\$175-225)
- 237 Ruble, 1734. Dav-1673; Sev-1183. Tiny reverse scratches. **About Very
 Fine**; Ruble, 1737. Dav-1673; Sev-1250. **Fine**; Ruble, 1738. Dav-1674;
 Sev-1275. Hedlinger bust type. **Fine**. Lot of 3 coins . . . (\$225-275)
- 238 Ruble, 1737. Dav-1673; Sev-1249. **About Fine**; Poltina, 1737. H-36;
 Sev-1245. Mount mark and polished. **Fine**; Poltina, 1737. H-35;
 Sev-1241. **Fine**. Lot of 3 coins (\$125-175)
- 239 Polushka, 1738. H-30; B-15. **Fine**; 5 Kopecks, 1730 (МД). B-40; H-21.
 Fine; Grivennik, 1732. H-32; Sev-1077. Plugged hole. **Very Fine**;
 Grivennik, 1733. H-32; Sev-1104. Mount mark. **Very Fine**. Lot of 4
 coins (\$80-120)

A Buyer's Commission of ten percent (10%)
 on each individual lot will be added to all purchases
 made by all bidders and will be based upon
 the total amount of the final bid.



IVAN III, 1740-1741

The son of Prince Anton Ulrich of Brunswick and Anna Leopoldovna of Mecklenburg, Ivan was adopted and declared successor by his great aunt Empress Anna Ivanovna. Upon her death on October 17th 1740 he was proclaimed emperor at the age of 10 weeks. The government was headed by Ernst Johan Biren, Duke of Courland initially and later the regency passed to Ivan's mother Anna. Following the coup d'etat on December 6th 1741 the family was imprisoned. In 1744 Ivan was placed in solitary confinement at Kholmogory on the White Sea and in 1756 was moved to Schlusselburg fortress. During his imprisonment, where he was raised by some accounts as a wild animal, his identity was kept secret from his jailers. An attempt was made to free him on July 5th 1764 and he was murdered by his guards following secret instructions from the government of Catherine the Great.

The ordinal (number) of this Ivan depends upon usage. He is the sixth Grand Duke Ivan of Muscovy but only the third czar of that name.



- 240 Ruble, 1741 (ММД). Dav-1676; Sev-1359; GM-plate 1, No.5. Rare Moscow mint issue. Superb, fully lustrous with a few light hairlines. **About Uncirculated** (\$3000-4000)
Certainly the finest specimen of a Moscow mint Ivan III ruble that we have seen.



- 241 Ruble, 1741 (ММД). Dav-1676; Sev-1358; GM-plate 1, No.7. Rare Moscow mint issue. **Very Fine** (\$800-1000)



- 242 Ruble, 1741 (ММД). Dav-1676; Sev-1358; GM-plate 1, No.7. Rare. **Fine** (\$400-500)



- 243 Ruble, 1741 (СПБ). Dav-1676; Sev-1375; GM-plate II, No.4. Lustrous. Rare. **Choice Very Fine** (\$800-1000)



- 244 Ruble, 1741 (СПБ). Dav-1676; Sev-1363; GM-plate II, No.11. Minor scratches on reverse. Lustrous. **Very Fine** (\$500-700)



- 245 Ruble, 1741 (СПБ). Dav-1676; Sev-1377; GM-plate 2, No.6. Minor scratches and planchet flaws. Rare. **Very Fine** (\$500-700)



- 246 Poltina, 1741 (СПБ). H-51; Sev-1353; GM-plate 3, No. 6. Very Rare. **Choice Very Fine** (\$700-900)



- 247 Poltina, 1741 (СПБ). H-51; Sev-1355; GM-plate 3, No.7. Rare. **Very Fine** (\$500-600)



- 248 Poltina, 1741 (СПБ). H-51; Sev-1353; GM-plate 3, No.6. Rare. About Very Fine (\$400-500)



- 249 Grivennik, 1741 (MMД). H-49; Sev-1344; GM-plate 1, No.16. A superb example with deep toning. Rare. Extremely Fine (\$700-900)



- 250 Grivennik, 1741 (MMД). H-49; Sev-1341; GM-plate 1, No.12. Rare. Very Fine (\$200-250)
- 251 Grivennik, 1741 (MMД). H-49; Sev-1344; GM-plate 1, No.16. Rare. Fine (\$125-150)
- 252 Denga, 1741. H-48; B-2. Scarce. Very Fine (\$40-50)
- 253 Polushka, 1741. H-47; B-1. Very Scarce. Fine (\$75-100)
- 254 Grivennik, 1741 (MMД). H-49; Sev-1344. Flan flaw. Good; Denga, 1741. H-48; B-2. Scarce. About Very Fine; Denga, 1741. H-48; B-2. Harshly cleaned. Very Fine; Polushka, 1741. H-47; B-1. Cleaned. Very scarce. Fine Lot of 4 coins (\$150-200)

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ELIZABETH PETROVNA, 1741-1762

The daughter of Peter the Great and Martha Skovronskaya, Elizabeth led an active social but restrained political life during the reign of her cousin the Empress Anna Ivanovna. During the brief reign of Ivan III political currents changed and fear of spending the rest of her life in a convent compelled Elizabeth to personally lead a bloodless coup d'etat.

Major political events of her reign include settling disputes and boundaries with Sweden and an alliance with France and Austria against Prussia in the Seven Years War. Russia's victories over Frederick the Great of Prussia won territories in East Prussia and had Frederick on the verge of collapse, his salvation coming by Elizabeth's death on January 5th 1762.



- 255 Ruble, 1741 (СПБ). Sev-1383; GM-1 note. Rare long bust type. Deeply toned. **Extremely Fine** (\$1500-2000)
Rare long bust type not listed by Davenport. Elisabeth seized power on December 6, 1741 so 1741 dated issues are necessarily very scarce. This graceful type was replaced with the broad bust type which was used until 1754.



- 256 Ruble, 1741 (СПБ). Sev-1382; GM-plate 1, No.1. Choice **Very Fine**.
 (\$1000-1250)
Rare long bust type not listed by Davenport.



- 257 Ruble, 1742 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1407. **About Extremely Fine**.
 (\$225-275)



- 258 Ruble, 1742 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1420. Struck over 1741 (ММД) Ruble of Ivan III. Cleaned. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)



- 259 Ruble, 1742 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1417. Lustrous. **About Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)

- 260 Ruble, 1742 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1411. Struck over a ruble of Ivan III. Well struck but harshly cleaned. **Very Fine** (\$75-100)



- 261 Ruble, 1743 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1436. Well struck and lustrous. **About Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)

- 262 Ruble, 1743 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1444. On a very broad flan and lustrous. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$150-175)

- 263 Ruble, 1743 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1442. Lustre. **Very Fine** (\$150-175)

- 264 Ruble, 1743 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1442. Small natural flaw on reverse. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)

- 265 Ruble, 1744 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1465. Trace of cleaning. **About Extremely Fine** (\$150-175)

- 266 Ruble, 1744 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1461. Attractive. **Very Fine**.
 (\$125-150)



267 Ruble, 1745 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1484. Fully lustrous and well struck. **About Uncirculated**. (\$700-900)

268 Ruble, 1745 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1480. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine**. (\$150-200)



269 Ruble, 1746 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1501. Fully lustrous. **Extremely Fine**. (\$350-450)

270 Ruble, 1746 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1503. **Very Fine**. (\$125-150)

271 Ruble, 1746 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1503. **Very Fine**. (\$125-150)

272 Ruble, 1746 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1500. Minor field marks. **Very Fine**. (\$75-100)



273 Ruble, 1747 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1515. Fully lustrous with a few minor surface marks. **Extremely Fine**. (\$325-375)

274 Ruble, 1747 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1516. **Very Fine**. (\$75-100)



275 Ruble, 1748 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1531. Lustrous. **Choice Extremely Fine**. (\$350-400)

276 Ruble, 1748 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1531. **About Very Fine** (\$75-100)

277 Ruble, 1748 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1530. **Choice Very Fine**. (\$150-200)



278 Ruble, 1749 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1541. Very lustrous. **Choice Extremely Fine**. (\$300-400)

279 Ruble, 1749 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1542. Planchet flakes on reverse. **Choice Very Fine**. (\$125-175)



280 Ruble, 1749 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1544. Fully struck with trace of cleaning. **Extremely Fine**. (\$300-350)

281 Ruble, 1749 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1545. **Very Fine**. (\$125-175)



282 Ruble, 1750 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1553. Lightly cleaned with much remaining mint lustre. **Extremely Fine**. (\$225-275)



- 283 Ruble, 1750 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1553. Lustrous. **About Extremely Fine** (\$225-275)
- 284 Ruble, 1750 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1554. Toned. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$150-200)
- 285 Ruble, 1750 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1553. Minor reverse flaw, some original lustre remaining. **Very Fine** (\$100-150)
- 286 Ruble, 1750 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1552. Well struck, planchet flaw near rim. **Very Fine** (\$100-150)
- 287 Ruble, 1751 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1572. Cleaning and some corrosion at date. **About Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)
- 288 Ruble, 1751 (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1573. Well struck. **Very Fine**.
..... (\$125-175)
- 289 Ruble, 1751-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1572. Lustrous. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$150-175)
- 290 Ruble, 1751-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1572. Lustrous with some field marks. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)
- 291 Ruble, 1751 (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1569. Toned. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$150-200)
- 292 Ruble, 1751 (ММД). Dav-1578; Sev-1569. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$150-200)
- 293 Ruble, 1752-ІІІ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1597. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$150-175)
- 294 Ruble, 1752-Е (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1593. Well struck, light obverse scratch. **Very Fine** (\$100-125)



- 295 Ruble, 1752-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1591. **About Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$200-250)
- 296 Ruble, 1752-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1592. Lustrous. **Very Fine**.
..... (\$150-175)
- 297 Ruble, 1752-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1591. Scratches in obverse field. **Very Fine** (\$100-125)
- 298 Ruble, 1752-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1589. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$150-175)



- 299 Ruble, 1753-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1605. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine** (\$175-200)
- 300 Ruble, 1753-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1607. Cleaned. **Very Fine**.
..... (\$100-125)
- 301 Ruble, 1753-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1608. Cleaned. **Very Fine**.
..... (\$100-125)
- 302 Ruble, 1753-ІІ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1610. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)
- 303 Ruble, 1753-ІІ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1609. **About Very Fine**.
..... (\$100-125)



- 304 Ruble, 1754-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1628. Minor contact marks. **Extremely Fine** (\$250-300)



- 305 Ruble, 1754-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1628. Lustrous. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)



- 306 Ruble, 1754-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1627. Small circular collectors mark in obverse field. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)

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- 307 Ruble, 1754-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1677; Sev-1625. Lightly cleaned. Extremely Fine (\$150-200)
- 308 Ruble, 1754-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1627. Choice Very Fine. (\$150-175)
- 309 Ruble, 1754-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1629. Choice Very Fine. (\$150-175)



- 310 Ruble, 1754-МБ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1633. Light field marks. Extremely Fine (\$200-250)
- 311 Ruble, 1754-МБ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1634. Very Fine (\$125-150)
- 312 Ruble, 1754-ЕІ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1635. Beautifully toned with slightly porous fields. About Extremely Fine (\$150-200)
- 313 Ruble, 1754-ЕІ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1635. Lustrous, moderate field marks. About Extremely Fine (\$125-175)



- 314 Ruble, 1755-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1652. Deeply toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$400-450)
- 315 Ruble, 1755-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1653. Minor scratches in field. Choice Very Fine (\$150-175)
- 316 Ruble, 1755-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1653. Light scratch on reverse. Choice Very Fine (\$125-175)
- 317 Ruble, 1755-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1650. Toned. Very Fine. (\$150-175)
- 318 Ruble, 1755-МБ (СПБ). Dav-1678; Sev-1648. Harshly cleaned. Very Fine (\$75-100)



- 319 Ruble, 1756-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1673. Fully lustrous, minor flan cracks on reverse. About Uncirculated (\$600-800)



- 320 Ruble, 1756-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1673. Lustrous. Choice Extremely Fine (\$400-500)



- 321 Ruble, 1756-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1672. On a beautiful planchet. Choice Extremely Fine (\$400-500)



- 322 Ruble, 1756-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1672. About Extremely Fine. (\$300-350)
- 323 Ruble, 1756-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1676. Trace of cleaning. Choice Very Fine (\$125-150)



- 324 Ruble, 1756-МБ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1670. Extremely Fine. (\$200-250)
- 325 Ruble, 1756-МБ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1670. Minor rim flaw. Very Fine (\$100-125)



- 326 Ruble, 1757-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1680; Sev-1686; Dunn-Variety-4 (JRNS No.24, fig.13). Minor scrape in field otherwise very nice, toned. **Very Fine** (\$1250-1500)
Rare portrait type with dies executed by Swiss medallist Jacques Dassier. Only issued for a few months.

- 327 Ruble, 1757-ІМ (СПБ). Dav-1679; Sev-1683. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine** (\$150-175)



- 328 Ruble, 1757-МБ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1690. Cleaned. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)



- 329 Ruble, 1758-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1681; Sev-1700. Lustrous with light handling. Very scarce. **Extremely Fine** (\$400-500)

- 330 Ruble, 1758-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1681; Sev-1700. Lustrous with traces of encrustation on reverse. **Very Fine** (\$200-250)



- 331 Ruble, 1758-НК (СПБ). Dav-1681; Sev-1701. Attractively toned. **Very Fine** (\$200-250)

- 332 Ruble, 1758-ЕІ (ММД). Dav-1678; Sev-1703. Last Moscow ruble of Elizabeth. Attractive and scarce. **Very Fine** (\$150-175)



- 333 Ruble, 1759-НК (СПБ). Dav-1681; Sev-1712. Superb for type. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$500-600)



- 334 Ruble, 1759-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1681; Sev-1710. Attractive. **Very Fine**.
..... (\$225-275)



- 335 Kunersdorf Medallie Ruble, 1759. Sev-1713; Reichel-Unlisted. Fields tooled and loop removed. **Extremely Fine** (\$400-450)
Bust of Elizabeth facing right. Reverse: Mars holding lance and Russian flag on battlefield. Medal issued to soldiers participating in the Victory over Prussia at Frankfurt on the Oder. Originally issued with a loop but usually found well circulated as it is the correct size and weight to circulate as a ruble.



- 336 Ruble, 1760-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1681; Sev-1721. Lustrous. Scarce. **Extremely Fine** (\$400-500)



- 337 Ruble, 1761-НК (СПБ). Dav-1681; Sev-1734. Scarce last dated ruble of Elizabeth. Deeply toned. **Extremely Fine** (\$400-500)



- 338 Poltina, 1746 (СПБ). H-77; Sev-1495. Lustrous. Very scarce. **About Extremely Fine** (\$250-300)



- 339 Poltina, 1749 (СПБ). H-77; Sev-1540. Tiny scrape in field. Toned. **Extremely Fine** (\$250-300)

- 340 Poltina, 1754-Я1 (СПБ). H-78; Sev-1622. Planchet laminations on obverse. **Very Fine** (\$50-75)



- 341 Poltina, 1756-IM (СПБ). H-78; Sev-1666. With mottled toning. **Extremely Fine** (\$300-350)



- 342 Poltina, 1756-IM (СПБ). H-78; Sev-1665. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$200-250)

- 343 Polupoltinnik, 1746 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1490. Boldly struck with light scratches. **Very Fine** (\$40-50)



- 344 Polupoltinnik, 1747 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1509. Beautifully toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$200-300)

- 345 Polupoltinnik, 1747 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1509. **Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$100-125)

- 346 Polupoltinnik, 1747 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1509. Planchet flaws near rim. **Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)

- 347 Polupoltinnik, 1747 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1509. Minor flaws. **Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)

- 348 Polupoltinnik, 1748 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1525. Minor edge crack. **Very Fine** (\$40-50)

- 349 Polupoltinnik, 1751 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1559. Light field marks. **Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)

- 350 Polupoltinnik, 1751 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1559. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$50-65)



- 351 Polupoltinnik, 1752-E (ММД). H-74; Sev-1582. Lustrous with lovely toning. **About Uncirculated** (\$200-300)

- 352 Polupoltinnik, 1756-МБ (ММД). H-74; Sev-1660. Minor natural flan clip. **Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)

- 353 Polupoltinnik, 1756-МБ (ММД). H-74; Sev-1662. Minor scratch. **About Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)

- 354 Polupoltinnik, 1756-МБ (ММД). H-74; Sev-1660. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$50-75)

- 355 Polupoltinnik, 1756-МБ (ММД). H-74; Sev-1661. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$50-75)

- 356 Polupoltinnik, 1756-МБ (ММД). H-74; Sev-1662. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$50-75)



- 357 Novodel 15 Kopecks, 1761 (ММД). Sev-1727A; GM-plate 22, no14. Prooflike and Very Rare. **About Uncirculated** (\$400-500)
There are no regular issue 15 Kopeck pieces of Elizabeth.

- 358 Grivennik, 1747. H-71; Sev-1505. Deeply toned. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$100-125)

- 359 Grivennik, 1747. H-71; Sev-1505. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)

- 360 Grivennik, 1747. H-71; Sev-1505. **Extremely Fine** (\$65-85)

- 361 Grivennik, 1748. H-71; Sev-1520. **About Uncirculated** (\$100-125)

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- 362 Grivennik, 1748. H-71; Sev-1520. About Extremely Fine . . (\$50-75)
- 363 Grivennik, 1751-A. H-72; Sev-1557. Scarce. Choice Very Fine.
 (\$50-65)
- 364 Grivennik, 1752-III. H-72; Sev-1579. Lustrous. About Uncirculated.
 (\$100-125)
- 365 Grivennik, 1756-МБ. H-72; Sev-1658. About Extremely Fine (\$50-65)
- 366 Grivennik, 1757-МБ. H-72; Sev-1680. Extremely Fine . . . (\$60-80)
- 367 Grivennik, 1757-МБ. H-71; Sev-1679. Stain in field. Choice Extremely
 Fine (\$50-75)
- 368 5 Kopecks, 1756 (СПБ). H-70; Sev-1655. Choice About Uncirculated.
 (\$100-125)
- 369 5 Kopecks, 1756 (СПБ). H-70; Sev-1655. Choice Extremely Fine.
 (\$75-100)
- 370 5 Kopecks, 1756 (СПБ). H-70; Sev-1656. Large flan as 1755, Scarce.
 Very Fine (\$50-65)
- 371 5 Kopecks, 1757 (СПБ). H-70; Sev-1677. Lustrous. About
 Uncirculated (\$100-125)
- 372 5 Kopecks, 1757 (СПБ). H-70; Sev-1677. Lustrous. About
 Uncirculated (\$100-125)
- 373 5 Kopecks, 1757 (СПБ). H-70; Sev-1677. Extremely Fine . (\$50-75)
- 374 5 Kopecks, 1757 (СПБ). H-70; Sev-1677. Choice Very Fine (\$35-45)
- 375 5 Kopecks, 1758 (СПБ). H-70; Sev-1692. Choice Very Fine (\$35-45)



- 376 Novodel Pattern 10 Kopecks, 1761. B-148; GM-plate 22, no.15. Choice
 About Uncirculated (\$600-700)



- 377 Novodel 5 Kopecks, 1757. H-67; GM-plate 21, No.4; B-115. Prooflike.
 About Uncirculated (\$600-700)



- 378 Novodel 5 Kopecks, 1757-EM. GM-plate 21, no.5; B-117. Deeply
 toned. About Uncirculated (\$600-700)



- 379 Novodel Pattern 4 Kopecks, 1761. B-146; GM-plate 22, no.19. Choice
 About Uncirculated (\$400-500)



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- 380 Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1757. H-62; B-90. Light handling. Proof.
 (\$400-500)



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- 381 Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1757. H-62; B-90. Broad flan, weakly struck.
 Uncirculated (\$250-300)



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- 382 **Novodel Pattern 2 Kopecks, 1761.** B-139; GM-plate 22, no.21. Thick flan. Uncirculated (\$300-350)
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- 383 **Novodel Pattern 2 Kopecks, 1761.** B-139. Thin flan. Reverse die breaks. Uncirculated (\$250-300)

- 384 **Kopeck, 1755 (ММД).** H-58; B-50. Overstruck on 1726 5 Kopeck of Catherine I. Very Fine (\$50-60)



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- 385 **Novodel Kopeck, 1757.** H-61; B-78 (edge 1). Proof (\$300-400)



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- 386 **Novodel Denga, 1757.** H-57; B-67 (edge 1). Choice Uncirculated. (\$250-300)



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- 387 **Novodel Denga, 1757.** H-57; B-68. Uneven toning. Proof (\$200-250)

- 388 **Novodel Denga, 1757.** H-57; B-65 (edge 5). Choice Extremely Fine. (\$125-150)
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- 389 **Denga, 1757.** H-57; B-64. Error, double struck with two dates showing. Bold Very Fine (\$100-UP)



- 390 **Novodel Pattern Denga, 1761.** B-136; GM-plate 22, no.24. About Uncirculated (\$225-275)



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- 391 **Novodel Polushka, 1757.** H-55; B-61. Uneven toning. Proof. (\$200-250)



- 392 **Novodel Polushka, 1757.** H-55; B-61. Uncirculated (\$175-200)

- 393 **Novodel Polushka, 1757.** H-55; B-60. Choice About Uncirculated. (\$150-175)
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- 394 **Coronation Medal, 1742.** Reichel-Unlisted. Silver, 40.9 mm, 50.65 grams. Struck on thick planchet. Crowned bust of Elizabeth facing right. Reverse: Angel crowning empress. Deep groove around rim from use in jewelry. Old cleaning marks in field, Toned. Very Fine (\$200-250)

- 395 **Medal, 1761.** Reichel-2204 variety. Silver, 60 mm, by Klementov. Death of Empress Elizabeth Petrovna, bust facing right. Reverse: Empress rising into heaven leaving scepter at the base of Peter III's monogram. Several light rim nicks. Very Fine (\$150-200)

- 396 **Ruble, 1742 (СПБ).** Dav-1677; Sev-1415. Fine; **Ruble, 1746 (СПБ).** Dav-1677; Sev-1502. About Very Fine. Lot of 2 coins . . . (\$125-175)

- 397 **Ruble, 1752-E (ММД).** Dav-1678; Sev-1594. Deep reverse scratches; **Poltina, 1748 (СПБ).** H-77; Sev-1526. Field marks; **Poltina, 1752-IM (СПБ).** H-78; Sev-1585. Averages Fine. Lot of 3 coins . . (\$100-150)

- 398 Lot of Polupoltinnik's: 1746, 1747, 1748, 1750, 1751, 1753 (ММД). H-73,74; Sev-1491, 1509, 1524, 1548, 1559, 1615. Some with field marks. **Fine to Very Fine**. Lot of 6 coins (\$125-175)
- 399 Polupoltinnik, 1746 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1491. Planchet flaws; Polupoltinnik, 1751 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1559; Polupoltinnik, 1756-МБ (ММД). H-74; Sev-1661. Minor flan flaw. **All Very Fine**. Lot of 3 coins. (\$100-125)
- 400 Lot of Polupoltinnik's: 1750 (ММД). H-73; Sev-1548. Light scratches; 1755-МБ (ММД). H-74; Sev-1643. Minor field marks, lustrous; 1756-МБ (ММД). H-74; Sev-1663. Cleaned; 1758-ЕІ (ММД).. H-74; Sev-1693. Error, double striking. **Averages Very Fine**. Lot of 4 coins. (\$150-200)
- 401 Polupoltinnik, 1752-Е (ММД). H-74, Sev-1582. minor flaws, lustrous; Polupoltinnik, 1756-МБ (СПБ). H-74, Sev-1660. Cleaned. **Both Very Fine**. Lot of 2 coins (\$100-125)
- 402 Lot of Grivennik's: 1742, 1747, 1748, 1751, 1752, 1753, 1757. H-71,72; Sev-1391, 1505, 1520, 1555, 1589, 1599, 1679. **Averages Very Fine**. Lot of 7 coins (\$200-250)
- 403 Lot of Grivennik's: 1746, 1747, 1751, 1752, 1756, 1757. H-71,72; Sev-1486, 1506, 1555, 1580, 1658, 1680. **Choice Very Fine**. Lot of 6 coins (\$225-275)
- 404 Lot of 5 Kopecks: 1755, 1756, 1757, 1758, 1759, 1760 (СПБ). H-70; Sev-1639, 1655, 1677, 1692, 1705, 1714. **Averages Very Fine**. Lot of 6 coins (\$175-200)
- 405 Lot of 5 Kopecks: 1756 (СПБ) (2 pieces). H-70, Sev-1655; 1757 (СПБ) (3 pieces). H-70; Sev-1677; 1758 (СПБ). H-70, Sev-1692. stained. **All Very Fine**. Lot of 6 coins (\$175-225)
- 406 5 Kopecks, 1756, 1757, 1758 (СПБ). H-70, Sev-1655, 1677, 1692. **Very Fine**. Lot of 3 coins (\$75-100)
- 407 5 Kopecks, 1756, 1757, 1758 (СПБ). H-70, Sev-1656, 1677, 1692. **Very Good to Fine**. Lot of 3 coins (\$50-75)
- 408 5 Kopecks, 1756, 1757, 1758, 1759 (СПБ). H-70, Sev-1639, 1677, 1692, 1705. Last only About Very Fine, First three pieces, **Choice Very Fine**. Lot of 4 coins (\$125-150)
- 409 Lot of 2 Kopecks to Grivennik's: 2 Kopecks, 1759; 5 Kopecks, 1759; Grivennik's, 1744 (2 pieces), 1747 (2 pieces), 1748, 1750, 1751, 1752. **Averages Good to Fine**. Lot of 10 coins (\$150-200)

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- 410 Livonaise of 96 Kopecks, 1757. Dav-1690; Sev-1765. Struck on a superb unflawed planchet. **Choice Very Fine** (\$700-900)



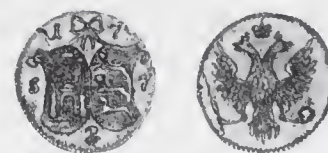
- 411 Livonaise of 96 Kopecks, 1757. Dav-1690; Sev-1765. Mounted and fields tooled. **Very Fine** (\$400-500)



- 412 Pattern 48 Kopecks, 1756. Sev-1745; GM-279. Small scratch below bust and minor flaw in field. Listed in KM #4 as 10 pieces struck. **Extremely Rare. Extremely Fine**. (\$3000-4000)



- 413 48 Kopecks, 1757. Cr-4; Sev-1764. Rare type. **Very Fine** (\$300-350)
- 414 24 Kopecks, 1757. Cr-3; Sev-1760. Slight planchet flaking on bust. **Extremely Fine** (\$175-200)
- 415 4 Kopecks, 1757. Cr-2; Sev-1756 (plain edge). Struck on a broad flan. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)
- 416 4 Kopecks, 1757. Cr-2; Sev-1756 (plain edge). Cleaned. **Very Fine**. (\$40-50)



- 417 2 Kopecks, 1757. Cr-1; Sev-1755. Rare. **Choice About Uncirculated**. (\$200-250)

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- 418 1/2 Taler, 1761. Cr-48; Sev-1859. Choice About Extremely Fine.
..... (\$250-300)



- 419 1/6 Taler, 1761. Cr-47; Sev-1853. Rare. Choice Extremely Fine.
..... (\$250-300)
- 420 1/6 Taler, 1761. Cr-47; Sev-1853-A. Scratches. Fine (\$40-50)



- 421 6 Grosh, 1759. Cr-45; Sev-1796 variety. Weakly struck at edge. About Uncirculated (\$200-250)
- 422 6 Grosh, 1760. Cr-45; Sev-1831. Light scratches, toned. Extremely Fine (\$100-125)



- 423 6 Grosh, 1761. Cr-45; Sev-1852 variety. Light verdigris. Choice Extremely Fine (\$150-200)



- 424 6 Grosh, 1761. Cr-45; Sev-1847. Lustrous, Very Fine ... (\$100-125)



- 425 3 Grosh, 1761. Cr-44; Sev-1842. Light verdigris. Choice Extremely Fine (\$175-200)
- 426 Solidus, 1759. Cr-41; Sev-1866. Scarce. Very Fine (\$50-75)

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PETER III, 1762

The son of Charles Frederick, Duke of Holstein-Gottorp and Anna Petrovna, the daughter of Peter the Great, the future czar was originally named Karl Peter Ulrich. In 1741, he was adopted by his aunt, the Empress Elizabeth, and became the successor to the throne. Elizabeth also ordered his marriage in 1745 to Princess Sophia of Anhalt-Zerbst who changed her name to Catherine Alexievna upon joining the Orthodox Church.

Peter's brief reign was a disaster politically. Upon the death of Elizabeth on January 5th 1762 he succeeded to the throne and proceeded to give back to Prussia everything that Russia won in five years of costly war. He reversed his European alliances, siding with his hero Frederick the Great and was about to enter war against Denmark when he was overthrown in a coup d'etat on July 9th 1762. He was considered too dangerous to the future reign of his wife Catherine II if imprisoned or exiled, so he was assassinated on July 18th 1762 by Alexei Orlov and several other supporters of Catherine. It is generally believed that Catherine did not have advance knowledge of the murder plot.



- 427 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1762 (СПБ).** See GM-34 note. Broad 43mm planchet, 25.57 grams. Uniformed bust right. Reverse: Cruciform П's. Moderately hairlined. Extremely Rare. **About Uncirculated.** (\$2000-3000)
This is a previously unrecorded major variety, struck over a ruble of Anna with proper original edge (GM edge no.93). Michailovitch lists a specimen struck over a ruble of Elizabeth but we can find no listing of this variety in any major Russian sale.



- 428 **Ruble, 1762-HK (СПБ).** Dav-1682; Sev-1882A. Fully lustrous. **About Uncirculated** (\$750-1000)



- 429 **Ruble, 1762-HK (СПБ).** Dav-1682; Sev-1882A. Lightly toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$500-600)



- 430 **Ruble, 1762-DM (MM/I).** Dav-1682; Sev-1879. Light hairlines. Scarcer Moscow mint. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$600-800)



- 431 **Poltina, 1762-HK (СПБ).** H-111; Sev-1874. Minor natural planchet lamination at rim. Lovely tone. Rare. **Choice About Uncirculated.** (\$1000-1250)

- 432 **10 Kopecks, 1762.** H-109; B-15. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)

- 433 **4 Kopecks, 1762.** H-108; B-11. Overstruck on 2 Kopecks of Elizabeth. **Very Fine** (\$50-65)

- 434 **2 Kopecks, 1762.** H-107; B-8. Variety with legend error. Scarce. **Fine.** (\$75-100)

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- 435 **Taler, 1753 (Mannheim).** Dav-1353; Sev-1890. Only 1000 pieces struck. Toned. Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$1500-2000)



- 436 **Taler, 1753 (Mannheim).** Dav-1353; Sev-1890. Rare. **Choice Very Fine.** (\$700-900)



CATHERINE II, 1762-1796

Guided by the will of the Empress Elizabeth, Catherine II was transformed from the backward princess of a minor German duchy to the wife of the heir to the throne of Russia. From that point Catherine helped create her own destiny. She learned the language and customs of her adopted country and created political alliances which prepared her to rule.

Her reign, after the coup d'etat which removed Peter III, was noted for interference with Poland including the partitions of 1772 and 1793 as well as continuing conflicts with the Turks. Catherine flattered herself that she was an enlightened monarch but the legacy of her reign is overshadowed by her manipulation by a successive string of lovers.



- 437 Ruble, 1762-НК (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1901. Struck on a broad flan, lustrous. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)



- 438 Ruble, 1762-НК (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1902. **Extremely Fine**. (\$200-250)
- 439 Ruble, 1762-ДМ (ММД). Dav-1683; Sev-1897. Minor rim flaws. **Extremely Fine** (\$150-200)
- 440 Ruble, 1762-ДМ (ММД). Dav-1683; Sev-1898. **Choice Very Fine**. (\$150-175)
- 441 Ruble, 1762-ДМ (ММД). Dav-1683; Sev-1897. Small scratches in field, cleaned. **Very Fine** (\$75-100)



- 442 Ruble, 1763-НК (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1914. Minor flan flaw in face, otherwise superb and fully lustrous. **About Uncirculated to Uncirculated** (\$800-1000)
- 443 Ruble, 1763-НК (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1915. **Choice Very Fine**. (\$150-175)
- 444 Ruble, 1763-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1916. Cleaned. Scarce assayer. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)



- 445 Ruble, 1764-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1937. **Choice Extremely Fine**. (\$250-300)

- 446 Ruble, 1764-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1938. Lightly cleaned, fully struck. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)
- 447 Ruble, 1764-СА (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1941. Deeply toned. **Very Fine**. (\$125-150)
- 448 Ruble, 1764-ЕІ (ММД). Dav-1683; Sev-1935. Attractively toned. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)



- 449 Ruble, 1765-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1960. Lustrous, lightly toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$400-500)
- 450 Ruble, 1765-ЯІ (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1959. Minor rim flaw. **Very Fine**. (\$100-125)
- 451 Ruble, 1765-СА (СПБ). Dav-1683; Sev-1961. Lightly cleaned. **Extremely Fine** (\$150-200)
- 452 Ruble, 1765-ЕІ (ММД). Dav-1683; Sev-1958. **Very Fine** . (\$125-150)
- 453 Ruble, 1766-АШ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-1976. Cleaned. **About Extremely Fine** (\$150-200)
- 454 Ruble, 1766-АШ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-1976. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine** (\$150-200)
- 455 Ruble, 1767-АШ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-1994. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine** (\$150-200)
- 456 Ruble, 1767-АШ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-1994. **Very Fine** . (\$125-150)
- 457 Ruble, 1767-АШ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-1994. Lustrous, small flaw on bust. **Very Fine** (\$100-125)
- 458 Ruble, 1768-ЕІ (ММД). Dav-1684; Sev-2014; GM-plate 9, no.1. Rare crude bust variety for scarce Moscow issue. Reverse scratch. **Very Fine** (\$150-200)
- 459 Ruble, 1768-СА (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2019. Lightly toned. **Very Fine**. (\$125-150)
- 460 Ruble, 1769-СА (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2031. Tiny scrape on bust. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$150-175)
- 461 Ruble, 1769-СА (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2032. **Very Fine** . (\$125-150)
- 462 Ruble, 1769-СА (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2032. Light scratches in field. **Very Fine** (\$100-125)



- 463 Ruble, 1770-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2043. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated** (\$250-300)



- 464 Sestroretsk Ruble 1771, Novodel, 75.7 mm wide, 26.5 mm thick, 1017 grams. B-317 (specimen #27), GM-238. Very Rare. Some identifying surface marks and edge knocks, otherwise Extremely Fine.

As usual throughout the course of numismatic history, the most interesting and often bizarre issues come from the economic necessities of war. In order to finance her campaigns, Catherine II instituted an issue of paper assignats in 1769. These were supposed to be backed by and fully exchangeable for copper currency and it was proposed that a copper ruble could be more efficiently produced than the equivalent twenty 5 kopeck pieces. Thus the law was signed in 1770 calling for the issue of copper rubles. Production was planned at the Sestroretsk ordnance works because the heavy machinery required to produce the massive 1000 gram planchets was already in place. Nobody foresaw the technical problems involved in production and after many abortive attempts the few original test samples were sent to the Senate and the dies were stored at the St. Petersburg Mint.

The few known original specimens are all housed in the Hermitage Museum, Leningrad and the Smithsonian Institute, Washington D.C.

In 1836 the Minister of Finance ordered the striking of a few specimen copper rubles from the original dies. New edge collars had to be manufactured as the originals had been lost. The original dies were rusted and the novodels show varying degrees of raised rust marks. Grand Duke Michailovitch states that in some cases these marks were removed at the mint.

In his well researched monograph on the Sestroretsk ruble on pages 162-175 of his book, The Copper Coinage of Imperial Russia, 1700-1917, B.F. Brekke cites 35 specimens of the novodel ruble. Of these 16 are in museums and many of the 19 remaining specimens are doubtless duplicate sightings of the same coin.

The current specimen, first listed in literature as Lot 1841 of the May 1910 auction of the Gustav Klingert Collection is the earliest pedigreed piece in private hands. It is certainly one of the most prized items in Russian numismatics and a highlight of this sale (\$15,000-20,000)

Ex Gustav Klingert Collection, A. Hess Auction, Frankfurt 30 May 1910, Lot 1841



- 465 Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1771. Sev-2058; GM-730; Reichel-4627. Silver, 38.3 mm, 18.82 grams, plain edge. Struck from rusty dies. Deeply toned and prooflike. **About Uncirculated to Uncirculated** (\$6000-8000)

The dies used to strike the novodel "Sestroretsk Ruble" were also used to strike this piece. Both types show identical raised spots from rusty dies indicating that the original dies may have been used after some years of storage. This type was dubbed the "Pugachev Ruble" because the date 1771 corresponds to the period of the rebellion of Emelyan Pugachev who was a pretender to the throne in the name of Peter III and the coin design does not contain the name or monogram of Catherine II.

The Grand Duke George Michailovitch lists this type as item number 28 in his 1885 monograph "A Description of some Rare Coins in My Collection" in which he described 44 of his rarest and most interesting coins. It is much rarer than the copper "Sestroretsk Ruble" novodel. The only pieces we can locate having appeared at auction since 1931 are the Hess-Leu Russland Auction piece (Sodermann Collection), November 1968, lot 241, and the present specimen.

- 466 Ruble, 1771-АШ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2056. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine** (\$150-175)



- 467 Ruble, 1771-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2054. **Extremely Fine.** (\$200-250)

- 468 Ruble, 1771-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2054. Minor field marks. Original lustre. **Choice Very Fine** (\$125-150)

- 469 Ruble, 1771-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2054. Flan flakes and scratches. **Very Fine** (\$75-100)



470 Ruble, 1772-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2064. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$225-275)

471 Ruble, 1773-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2080. Uneven toning. Very Fine (\$100-125)



472 Ruble, 1774-ОЛ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2091. Light obverse hairline. About Extremely Fine (\$150-175)



473 Ruble, 1774-ОЛ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2091. Minor rim flaw. Toned. Very Fine (\$100-125)



474 Ruble, 1775-ОЛ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2103. Lustrous. Choice Extremely Fine (\$250-300)



475 Ruble, 1775-ОЛ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2102. Light field marks. Original mint lustre. Extremely Fine (\$200-250)

476 Ruble, 1775-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2105. About Extremely Fine. (\$175-200)



477 Ruble, 1776-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2112. Semi proof like. Choice Extremely Fine (\$250-300)



478 Ruble, 1776-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2112. Light encrustation. Extremely Fine (\$200-250)

479 Ruble, 1776-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2112. Deeply toned. Choice Very Fine (\$175-200)

480 Ruble, 1776-ЯЧ (СПБ). Dav-1684; Sev-2112. Lightly cleaned. Extremely Fine (\$150-200)

481 Ruble, 1777-ОЛ (СПБ). Dav-1685; Sev-2123. Scratch in obverse field. Very Fine (\$100-125)

482 Ruble, 1778-ОЛ (СПБ). Dav-1685; Sev-2136. Natural surface flakes on obverse. Very Fine (\$100-125)



483 Ruble, 1779-ОЛ (СПБ). Dav-1685; Sev-2149. Deep scratch in obverse field. Very Fine (\$75-100)



484 Ruble, 1780-ИЗ (СПБ). Dav-1685; Sev-2156. Slightly rough planchet. Choice Extremely Fine (\$250-300)



485 Ruble, 1780-ИЗ (СПБ). Dav-1685; Sev-2155. Minor field marks. Lustrous. Extremely Fine (\$225-275)



486 Ruble, 1781-ИЗ (СПБ). Dav-1685; Sev-2172. Lustrous. Scarce. Choice About Uncirculated (\$400-450)

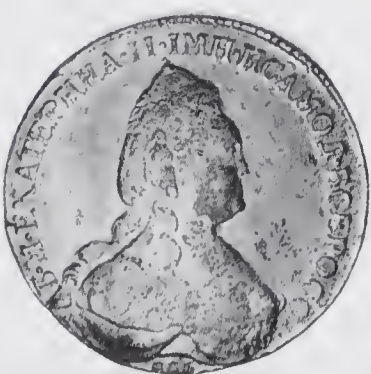
487 Ruble, 1781-ИЗ (СПБ). Dav-1685; Sev-2172. Short scratch in reverse field. Scarce. About Extremely Fine (\$150-175)

488 Ruble, 1782-ИЗ (СПБ). Dav-1685; Sev-2186. Flan flaw near reverse rim. Extremely Fine (\$125-150)

489 Ruble, 1783-ИЗ (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2201. Scratches and flan flaws. Very Fine (\$75-100)

490 Ruble, 1783-ИЗ (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2201. Fine (\$65-85)

491 Ruble, 1783-ММ (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2202. Very Rare mint master. Good (\$100-125)



492 Ruble, 1784-ММ (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2213. Rim flaw. Very rare date. Very Fine (\$250-300)



493 Ruble, 1785-ЯА (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2225. Lustrous. Very scarce date. Choice Very Fine (\$200-250)



494 Ruble, 1786-ЯА (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2237. Extremely Fine. (\$200-250)

495 Ruble, 1787-ЯА (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2249. Light scraping in field. About Extremely Fine (\$125-175)

496 Ruble, 1788-ЯА (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2259. Scarce date. Good. (\$50-60)

497 Ruble, 1789-ЯА (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2265. Small dig on face. Scarce date. Fine (\$100-150)

498 Ruble, 1790-ЯА (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2274. About Very Fine. (\$100-125)

499 Ruble, 1791-ЯА (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2287. Scarce date. Very Good. (\$60-80)



500 Ruble, 1793-АК (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2315. Fully Lustrous. Extremely Fine (\$225-275)

501 Ruble, 1793-ЯА (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2314. Lustrous. Scarce date. About Very Fine (\$100-125)



502 Ruble, 1794-АК (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2331. Lustrous. Choice Extremely Fine (\$350-400)

- 503 Ruble, 1795-AK (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2342. Light scratch in field. Struck from rusty dies. Deeply toned. **Extremely Fine** . . (\$150-200)



- 504 Ruble, 1796-IC (СПБ). Dav-1686; Sev-2354. Flaw near date on reverse. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated** . . (\$300-350)



- 505 Poltina, 1762-DM (ММД). H-154; Sev-1894. Rare. **Choice Very Fine**. . . (\$200-250)

- 506 Poltina, 1762-DM (ММД). H-154; Sev-1895. Rare. **About Fine**. . . (\$75-100)



- 507 Poltina, 1763-ЯІ (СПБ). H-155; Sev-1911. **Extremely Fine** (\$350-450)



- 508 Poltina, 1763-ЯІ (СПБ). H-155; Sev-1911. **Very Fine** . . . (\$150-200)

- 509 Poltina, 1763-НК (СПБ). H-155; Sev-1908. Clear 3 over 2 overdate, planchet laminations. **Very Fine** . . . (\$125-150)

- 510 Poltina, 1763-НК (СПБ). H-155; Sev-1908. **About Very Fine**. . . (\$100-125)



- 511 Poltina, 1764-CA (СПБ). H-155; Sev-1932. Lustrous. Very rare in high grade. **About Uncirculated** . . (\$500-600)



- 512 Poltina, 1764-EI (ММД). Sev-Unlisted. **Fine** . . . (\$350-UP)
Unknown date Moscow mint poltina. Unlisted in Severin, Michailovitch or Uzdrenikov. First published by James Elmen in JRNS No. 1, June 1979. Second known specimen, of the highest rarity.



- 513 Poltina, 1765-ЯІ (СПБ). H-155; Sev-1953. **Choice Very Fine**. . . (\$150-200)



- 514 Poltina, 1778-ОЛ (СПБ). H-156; Sev-2132. Rim flaw. **About Extremely Fine** . . . (\$200-300)



- 515 Poltina, 1795-AK (СПБ). H-156; Sev-2338. Deeply toned. Rare. **Extremely Fine** . . . (\$500-600)



- 516 Poltina, 1796-IC (СПБ). H-156; Sev-2352. Lightly toned. About Uncirculated (\$500-600)



- 517 Poltina, 1796-IC (СПБ). H-156; Sev-2352. Lightly cleaned. Extremely Fine (\$250-350)

- 518 Polupoltinnik, 1765-EI (ММД). H-152; Sev-1950. Exceptional for type. About Extremely Fine (\$100-125)

- 519 Polupoltinnik, 1765-EI (ММД). H-152; Sev-1950. Minor flaw, cleaned. Extremely Fine (\$65-85)

- 520 Polupoltinnik, 1765-EI (ММД). H-152; Sev-1950. Choice Very Fine. (\$50-75)

- 521 Polupoltinnik, 1767-EI (ММД). H-152; Sev-1987. Extremely Fine. (\$100-125)

- 522 Polupoltinnik 1767-EI (ММД). H-152; Sev-1987. About Extremely Fine. (\$50-75)

- 523 Polupoltinnik, 1767-EI (ММД). H-152; Sev-1987. About Extremely Fine (\$50-75)

- 524 Polupoltinnik, 1769-EI (ММД). H-152; Sev-2027. Flan flaw. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)



- 525 Polupoltinnik, 1774-CA (ММД). H-152; Sev-2088. overdate 4 over 0. Struck with rusty dies. Rare. Extremely Fine (\$200—UP)

- 526 Polupoltinnik, 1775-CA (ММД). H-152; Sev-2098. About Extremely Fine (\$50-75)

- 527 Polupoltinnik, 1781-АГ (СПБ). H-153; Sev-2170. Choice Very Fine (\$50-75)

- 528 Polupoltinnik, 1783-ММ (СПБ). H-153; Sev-2195. Cleaned. Extremely Fine (\$50-60)

- 529 Polupoltinnik, 1785-ЯА (СПБ). H-153; Sev-2221. Mottled toning. Choice Extremely Fine (\$125-150)

- 530 Polupoltinnik, 1793-ЯА (СПБ). H-153; Sev-2310. Rare date. Choice Very Fine (\$100-125)

- 531 20 Kopecks, 1771-(СПБ). H-151; S-2050. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$125-150)

- 532 20 Kopecks, 1771 (СПБ). H-151; Sev-2050. Light hairlines. Extremely Fine (\$65-85)

- 533 20 Kopecks, 1774 (СПБ). H-151; Sev-2086. Light hairlines. Extremely Fine (\$50-65)

- 534 20 Kopecks, 1778 (СПБ). H-151; Sev-2131. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)

- 535 20 Kopecks, 1779 (СПБ). H-151; Sev-2142. Fine, About Extremely Fine and Extremely Fine. Lot of 3 coins (\$110-140)

- 536 20 Kopecks, 1788 (СПБ). H-151; Sev-2254. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)

- 537 15 Kopecks, 1764 (ММД). H-148; Sev-1922. About Uncirculated (\$125-150)



- 538 15 Kopecks, 1781 (СПБ). H-149; Sev-2162. Toned. Choice Uncirculated (\$200-300)

- 539 15 Kopecks, 1783 (СПБ). H-149; Sev-2191. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)

- 540 Grivennik, 1774 (ММД). H-146; Sev-2084. Scarce. About Extremely Fine (\$75—UP)

- 541 Grivennik, 1778 (СПБ). H-147; Sev-2127. About Extremely Fine (\$50-65)

- 542 Grivennik, 1778 (СПБ). H-147; Sev-2127. About Extremely Fine (\$50-65)

- 543 Grivennik, 1779 (СПБ). H-147; Sev-2138. Extremely Fine . (\$65-85)

- 544 Grivennik, 1779 (СПБ). H-147; Sev-2138. About Extremely Fine (\$50-65)

- 545 Grivennik, 1781 (СПБ). H-147; Sev-2158. Lustrous. Uncirculated (\$125-150)

- 546 Grivennik, 1784 (СПБ). H-147; Sev-2204. Toned. About Extremely Fine (\$50-75)



- 547 CIPHER Series Novodel 10 Kopecks, 1796. B-40. Rare. Extremely Fine. (\$500-600)



- 548 5 Kopecks, 1793-АМ. H-137; B-299. Original, Rare. Choice Uncirculated (\$400-500)



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- 549 Cipher Series Novodel 5 Kopecks, 1796. B-31. Rare. Extremely Fine. (\$450-500)



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- 550 Cipher Series Novodel 4 Kopecks, 1796. B-24. Prooflike. Rare. About Uncirculated (\$400-500)



- 551 Cipher Series Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1796. B-19. Rare. About Uncirculated (\$300-400)



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- 552 Novodel Kopeck, 1765. H-126; B-115 (edge 1); GM-plate 38, no.10. Uncirculated (\$250-300)



See Color Plate 2

- 553 Novodel Kopeck, 1765. H-126; B-115 (edge 0); GM-plate 38, no.10. Choice Extremely Fine (\$125-150)



- 554 CIPHER Series Novodel Kopeck, 1796. B-15. Struck over a Denga of 1736. Rare. Extremely Fine (\$300-400)



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- 555 Novodel Polushka, 1765. H-117; B-2; GM-plate 38, no.13. Uncirculated. (\$150-175)

- 556 Novodel Polushka, 1765. H-117; B-2 (edge 0); GM-plate 38, no.13. About Uncirculated (\$125-150)



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- 557 Novodel Polushka, 1765-(EM). B-3; GM-plate 38, no.4. Extremely Fine. (\$100-125)



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- 558 Novodel Polushka, 1788. H-117; B-28; GM-plate 41, no.16. Uncirculated. (\$150-175)



- 559 Medal, 1762. Reichel-1017. Silver, 53 mm, by G.Z. Graefenstein. Commemorating the restoration of Ernst Johann Biren as Duke of Courland. Catherine II, bust facing right. Reverse: Bust of Catherine II on pedestal flanked by radiant female figure and seated Courland. Rare. Choice Very Fine (\$400-500)

- 560 Medal, 1766. Reichel-2324 (AR); Tiregale-101. Bronze, 64.8 mm, by T. Ivanov. Commemorating the festival of the court circus. Catherine II bust facing right. Reverse: Roman style amphitheatre with Neva River in foreground. Very Fine to Extremely Fine (\$75-100)



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- 561 **Medal, 1770.** Reichel-4469; Tiregale-107. Bronze, 90 mm, by I.B. Gass. Count Alexei Orlov commemorative of the Greek naval campaign. Bust of Count Orlov in uniform facing half right. Reverse: Map of Greek and Turkish islands with fleet maneuvers shown. Very Rare. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$500—UP)
- 562 **Medal, 1770.** Reichel-2430 (AR). White Metal, 65 mm, by I.G. Jaeger. Transportation of the base of the equestrian statue of Peter the Great by Falconet. Bust of Catherine II facing left. Reverse: View of the massive boulder being pulled on rollers through the Finnish marshes. This statue still stands on its massive base in Leningrad today. **Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)
- 563 **Medal, 1780.** Reichel-2636. Bronze, 61.3 mm, by C. Leberecht. Visit of Emperor Joseph II of Austria to Russia under the pseudonym of Graf Falkenstein. Bust of Joseph II facing right. Reverse: Three line legend. Die crack. **Extremely Fine** (\$100-125)



- 564 **Campaign Medal (Ruble size), 1789.** Reichel-2792. Silver, 39mm, by T.Ivanov. For service against the Swedes in Finnish waters. Loop removed. Rare. **Fine** (\$250-300)

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| 565 | Lot of Rubles: 1764, 1765, 1769, 1770, 1773 (2 pieces), 1775. (СПБ). Dav-1683, 1684, ND (date off flan); Dav-1683, 1684. Some with flan flaws. Good to Very Fine. Lot of 8 coins . . . (\$225-275) |
| 566 | Lot of Rubles: 1773-АЧ, 1782-ИЗ, 1792-ЯА, 1794-АК, 1796-IC (СПБ). Dav-1684, 1686. Sev-2080, 2186, 2302, 2331, 2355. Some with field marks, mount marks, scratches. Fair to Fine. Lot of 5 coins. (\$150-200) |
| 567 | Lot of Poltina's: 1763-ЯИ, 1765-СА, 1776-ЯЧ, 1778-ФЛ. H-155, 156; Sev-1910, 1961, 2111, 2133. One piece mounted, some flan flaws. Very Good to Fine. Lot of 4 coins (\$150-200) |
| 568 | Lot of Polupoltinnik's: 1764, 1765, 1766, 1767, 1768, 1769 all EI (ММД). H-152; Sev-1928, 1950, 1968, 1987, 2006, 2027. A few with flan flaws. Fine to Choice Very Fine. Lot of 6 coins . . . (\$200-250) |
| 569 | Lot of Polupoltinnik's: 1765, 1767, 1768, 1770, 1775, 1779, 1781, 1783, 1789, 1792. H-152, 153; Sev-1950, 1987, 2006, 2039, 2098, 2145, 2170, 2195, 2264, 2298. Some with flan flaws. Very Good to Very Fine. Lot of 10 coins (\$175-225) |
| 570 | Lot of Polupoltinnik's: 1765-EI (ММД), 1767-EI (ММД), 1775-СА (ММД), 1785-ЯА (СПБ), 1794-АК (СПБ). H-152, 153; Sev-1950, 1987, 2098, 2221, 2325. Very Fine. Lot of 5 coins . . . (\$225-275) |
| 571 | Lot of Polupoltinnik's: 1767-EI (ММД) (4 pieces), 1779-ФЛ (СПБ); 1781-АГ (СПБ) (2 pieces), 1791-ЯА (СПБ). H-152, 153. Some with flan flaws. Fine to Very Fine. Lot of 8 coins (\$200-250) |
| 572 | Lot of 20 Kopecks: 1764 and 1765-(ММД), 1770, 1771, 1778, 1781, 1783, 1784, 1787, 1788, 1789, 1791, 1792 СПБ). H-150, 151. Very Good to Very Fine. Lot of 13 coins (\$200-250) |
| 573 | Lot of 20 Kopecks: 1764, 1765, 1766 and 1767-(ММД), 1768, 1769, 1771, 1778, 1781, 1783 (СПБ). H-150, 151. A few with flan flaws. Averages Very Fine. Lot of 10 coins (\$300-375) |
| 574 | Lot of 20 Kopecks: 1764 (ММД) (2 pieces), 1771, 1772 (2 pieces), 1776 (2 pieces), 1778, 1783, 1784, 1785, 1787 (СПБ).. Good to Very Fine. Lot of 12 coins (\$250-300) |
| 575 | Lot of 20 Kopecks. 1766 (СПБ) (3 pieces), 1767 (СПБ) (2 pieces), 1767 (ММД), 1769 (СПБ) (2 pieces). H-151; Sev-1967, 1984, 2026. A few pieces cleaned. Good to Extremely Fine. Lot of 8 coins. (\$200-250) |
| 576 | Lot of 15 Kopecks: 1764 and 1765 (ММД), 1778, 1779, 1784, 1785, 1786 (СПБ). H-148, 149. A few with light field marks. Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Lot of 7 coins (\$275-325) |
| 577 | Lot of 15 Kopecks: 1766, 1769, 1770, 1775 (ММД), 1779, 1784, 1785, 1787, 1789 (СПБ). H-148, 149. Fine to Very Fine. Lot of 9 coins (\$150-200) |
| 578 | Lot of 15 Kopecks: 1764 (4 pieces), 1765 (2 pieces), 1769 (3 pieces), 1770 (2 pieces), 1771 (3 pieces) (ММД), 1778 (3 pieces), 1779, 1781 (2 pieces), 1784, 1787, 1790, 1792 (СПБ).. H-148, 149. Some with flan flaws, cleaned or scratches. Good to Very Fine. Lot of 24 coins (\$300-400) |
| 579 | Lot of Grivennik's: 1769, 1771 (Both mints), 1785, 1788 (СПБ). H-146, 147. Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Lot of 5 coins. (\$175-200) |
| 580 | Lot of Grivennik's. 1769 (ММД), 1766, 1768, 1769 (4 pieces), 1770 (СПБ). H-146, 147. Some flaws. Good to Very Fine. Lot of 8 coins. (\$150-175) |
| 581 | 5 Kopecks, 1784 EM. H-138; B-252. Scrapes on rim, cleaned. Extremely Fine; Kopeck, 1789 EM. H-127; B-126. Choice Very Fine. Lot of 2 coins (\$40-60) |

Crimea



- 582 **20 Kopecks, 1787-TM.** Sev-2372; GM-plate 26,no.6. Light scrape in monogram. **Extremely Fine** (\$350-450)



583 20 Kopecks, 1787-TM. Sev-2375; GM-plate 26, no.5. About Extremely Fine (\$350-450)



584 20 Kopecks, 1787-TM. Sev-2375; GM-plate 26, no.5. Choice Very Fine (\$300-350)



585 20 Kopecks, 1787-TM. Sev-2373; GM-plate 26, no.7. Light scratches and nicks in the field. Very Fine (\$250-300)



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586 Novodel Silver 10 Kopecks, 1787-TM. Cr-9; Sev-2371. Lustrous. Extremely Rare type. About Uncirculated (\$1000-1500)
Ex Virgil Brand Collection.



587 Kyrmis (5 Kopecks), AH 1191 year 4 (1780 AD). Cr-138; B-4. With typically weak striking at edge. Extremely Fine (\$300-400)



588 Kopeck, AH 1191 year 4 (1780 AD). Cr-136; B-3. Fully struck. Very Fine to Extremely Fine (\$200-300)

Siberia



589 Novodel Pattern Silver 20 Kopecks, 1764. Sev-2364; GM-695. Crowned Catherine II monogram in wreath. Reverse: Crowned bow and crossed arrows supported by sables. Prooflike. Extremely Rare. About Uncirculated to Uncirculated (\$2000-3000)



See Color Plate 3

590 Novodel Presentation set of 5 Types. Polushka, Kopeck, 2 Kopecks, 5 Kopecks, and 10 Kopecks. 1776-KM. B-341, 407, 441, 479, 521. (Denga not included). In custom lucite holder. All five pieces are choice red, Uncirculated. Lot of 5 coins (\$2000-UP)

Coinage of Catherine II

591 10 Kopecks, 1776-KM. B-520; Cr-6. Reverse flan flaws, cleaned. Extremely Fine(\$75-100)

592 10 Kopecks, 1777-KM. B-522; C-6. Flan flaws and verdigris. Very Fine(\$50-75)



See Color Plate 3

593 Novodel 10 Kopecks, 1780-KM. Cr-6; B-530. Scarce date. Toned. Choice Uncirculated(\$500-750)



See Color Plate 3

594 Novodel 5 Kopecks, 1764. Edge 5 (Brekke-Unlisted); Cr-5. Overdate 64 over 66. Trace of cleaning, prooflike. About Uncirculated.(\$300-400)



See Color Plate 3

595 Novodel 5 Kopecks, 1769-KM. B-465; Cr-5. Uneven toning. About Uncirculated(\$300-400)



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596 Novodel 5 Kopecks, 1773-KM. B-473; Cr-5. Choice About Uncirculated(\$300-400)

597 5 Kopecks, 1774-KM. B-474; Cr-5. Choice Extremely Fine(\$125-150)



See Color Plate 3

598 Novodel 5 Kopecks, 1776-KM. B-479; Cr-5. Choice Uncirculated.(\$400-500)



See Color Plate 3

599 Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1767-KM. B-425; Cr-4. Choice About Uncirculated(\$200-300)



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600 Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1768-KM. B-427; Cr-4. Choice Uncirculated.(\$300-400)

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601 Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1777-KM. B-443; Cr-4. Trace of cleaning. About Uncirculated(\$125-150)



See Color Plate 3

602 Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1779-KM. B-447; Cr-4. Choice About Uncirculated(\$200-300)



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603 Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1779-KM. B-447; Cr-4. About Uncirculated.(\$175-200)



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- 604 **Novodel Kopeck, 1772-KM. B-399; Cr-3. Choice Uncirculated.**
..... (\$300-400)



See Color Plate 3



- 605 **Novodel Kopeck, 1778-KM. B-411; Cr-3. Uncirculated . .** (\$200-300)



See Color Plate 3



- 606 **Novodel Kopeck, 1778-KM. B-411; Cr-3. Count Hutten-Czapski countermark within bow on reverse. Toned. Uncirculated** (\$300-400)



- 607 **Novodel Denga, 1764. B-350; Cr-2. Small edge flaw. Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)



- 608 **Denga, 1766. B-351; Cr-2. Original striking. Thin flan crack with some mint red. Extremely Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$400-500)
Ex Virgil Brand Collection.



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- 609 **Novodel Denga, 1768-KM. B-357; Cr-2. About Uncirculated.**
..... (\$150-175)



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- 610 **Novodel Denga, 1772-KM. B-365; Cr-2. Choice Uncirculated.**
..... (\$200-250)



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- 611 **Novodel Denga, 1773-KM. B-367; Cr-2. Choice About Uncirculated.**
..... (\$175-200)

- 612 **Denga, 1775-KM. B-370; Cr-2. Very Fine** (\$40-50)



- 613 **Novodel Polushka, 1764. B-318; Cr-1. 1.53 grams. Date is unknown as an original. Struck on a broad planchet. Rare. Choice About Uncirculated** (\$400-500)

Ex Klingert Collection



- 614 **Novodel Polushka, 1764. B-318; Cr-1. 3.82 grams. Struck from broken die (obverse) on a thick planchet with plain edge. Rare. About Uncirculated** (\$400-500)

- 615 **Polushka, 1768-KM. B-324; Cr-1. Porous. Very Fine** (\$75-100)

- 616 **Lot of 5 Kopeck's. 1772-KM, 1774-KM, 1778-KM. Cr-5; B-470, 474, 482. Porous, nicks and flaws. Very Good to Very Fine. Lot of 3 coins.**
..... (\$65-85)



PAUL I, 1796-1801

The only son of Peter III and Catherine the Great, Paul succeeded to the throne upon the death of Catherine II. Internationally he joined a coalition against France and conducted campaigns in northern Italy successfully led by General Suvarov. His fleet captured the Ionian Islands and established a Russian controlled republic.

Domestically he reversed many of the policies of Catherine and ruled as a despotic madman. He was killed during a palace revolution in March 1801.



617 Pattern Novodel Portrait Ruble, 1796 (СПБ). Sev-2379. Struck from bulged dies, creating a very high relief. Some hairlines. Very Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$3000-4000)



618 Novodel Albertus Ruble, 1796-СМ ФЦ (БМ). Dav-1687; Sev-2384; Tolstoi Collection-no.6. Extremely rare variety with mintmark and mint masters initials. Prooflike. **Extremely Fine** (\$2000-3000)



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619 Albertus Ruble, 1796-БМ. Dav-1687; Sev-2381. Reverse fully prooflike. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$2000-2500)
The finest specimen we have encountered.

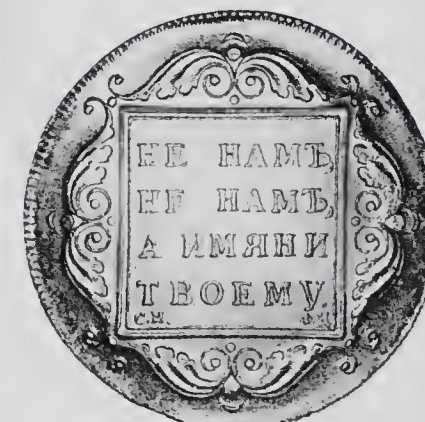


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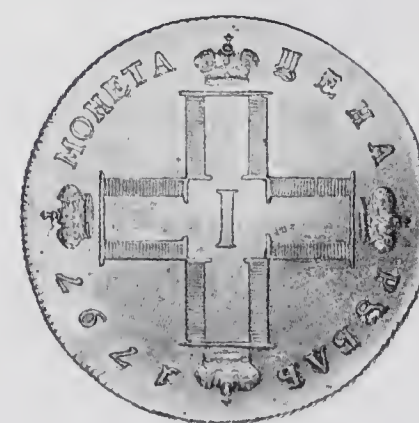
620 Albertus Ruble, 1796 (БМ). Dav-1687; Sev-2381. Deeply toned. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$1500-2000)



621 Albertus Ruble, 1796-БМ. Dav-1687; Sev-2381. Reverse rim flaw. **About Extremely Fine** (\$600-800)



622 Heavy Ruble, 1797-ФЦ (СМ). Dav-1688; Sev-2405. Fully lustrous. **Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated** (\$750-1000)



623 Heavy Ruble, 1797-ФЦ (СМ). Dav-1688; Sev-2405. Lightly toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$700-900)



624 Heavy Ruble, 1797-ФЗ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2405. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$600-800)



625 Heavy Ruble, 1797-ФЗ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2405. About Extremely Fine (\$500-600)



626 Ruble, 1798-МБ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2429. Choice About Uncirculated (\$250-300)



627 Ruble, 1798-МБ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2429. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$225-275)



628 Ruble, 1798-МБ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2429. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$225-275)



629 Ruble, 1798-МБ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2429. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$175-200)

630 Ruble, 1798-МБ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2429. Choice Very Fine. (\$100-125)

631 Ruble, 1798-МБ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2429. Choice Very Fine. (\$100-125)

632 Ruble, 1799-МБ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2452. Light hairlines. Extremely Fine (\$125-150)

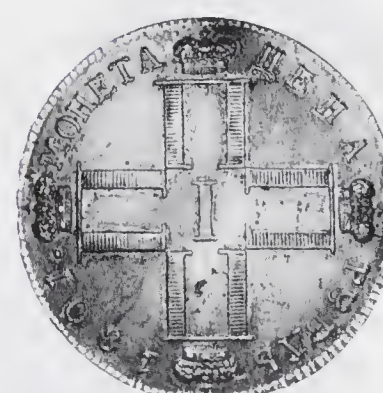
633 Ruble, 1799-МБ (CM). Dav-1688; Sev-2452. Adjustment marks. Extremely Fine (\$125-150)

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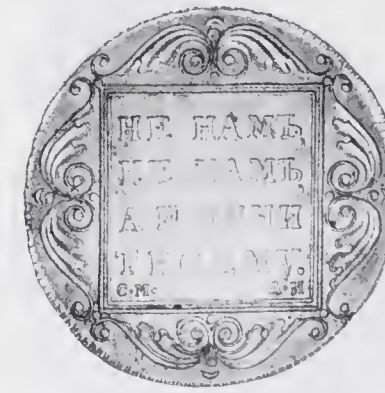
635 Ruble, 1800-ОМ (CM). Dav-278; Sev-2467. Extremely Fine. (\$175-200)



636 Ruble, 1801-ФЗ (CM). Dav-278; Sev-2489. Extremely Fine. (\$200-250)



637 Ruble, 1801-АИ (CM). Dav-278; Sev-2487. Lustrous. Extremely Fine. (\$200-250)



638 Ruble, 1801-АИ (CM). Dav-278; Sev-2487. Extremely Fine. (\$150-200)

639 Ruble, 1801-АИ (CM). Dav-278; Sev-2487. Extremely Fine. (\$150-200)



640 Heavy Poltina, 1797-ФЗ (CM). H-199; Sev-2400. Prooflike. Very Rare. Choice About Uncirculated (\$1000-1250)



641 Poltina, 1798 8 over 7-МБ (CM). H-199; Sev-2422. Unlisted overdate, possibly a reworking of a heavy poltina die. Fully lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$600-800)



642 Poltina, 1798-МБ (CM). H-199; Sev-2422. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$400-500)



643 Poltina, 1798-МБ (CM). H-199; Sev-2422. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$225-275)

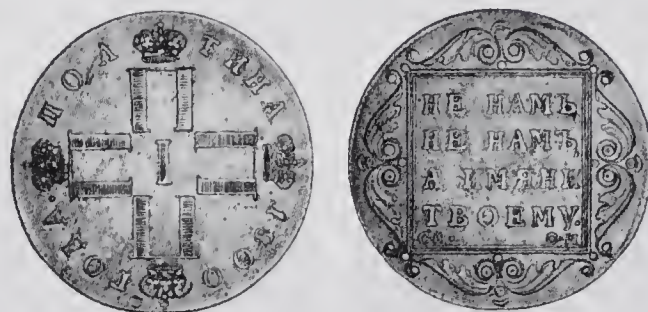
644 Poltina, 1798-МБ (CM). H-199; Sev-2424. minor scratch in field. Lustrous. Extremely Fine (\$150-200)

645 Poltina, 1798-МБ (CM). H-199; Sev-2424. Choice Very Fine. (\$150-175)

646 Poltina, 1798-МБ (CM). H-199; Sev-2424. Very Fine ... (\$100-125)



647 Poltina, 1799-МБ (CM). H-199; Sev-2445. Lustrous. Extremely Fine. (\$200-250)



648 Poltina, 1800-ОМ (CM). H-199; Sev-2463. Toned. Extremely Fine. (\$200-250)

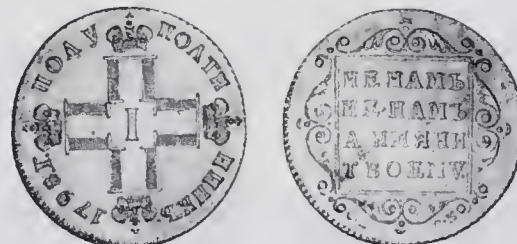
649 Poltina, 1800-ОМ (CM). H-199; Sev-2463. About Extremely Fine. (\$150-200)



650 Heavy Polupoltinnik, 1797-ФЗ (CM). H-198; Sev-2394. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$300-350)

651 Heavy Polupoltinnik, 1797-ФЗ (CM). H-198; Sev-2394. Very Fine. (\$150-200)

652 Heavy Polupoltinnik, 1797-ФЗ (CM). H-198; Sev-2394. Scratches on reverse. Rare. About Extremely Fine (\$125-150)



653 Polupoltinnik, 1798-ОМ (СП). H-199; Sev-2419. Rare in high grade. Choice About Uncirculated (\$300-400)



654 Polupoltinnik, 1798-МБ (CM). H-198; Sev-2417. Nick on obverse. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$250-350)



- 655 Polupoltinnik, 1798-MБ (CM). H-198; Sev-2417. Choice Extremely Fine (\$200-250)
- 656 Polupoltinnik, 1798-MБ (CM). H-198; Sev-2417. Scratch in field. About Extremely Fine (\$100-125)
- 657 Polupoltinnik, 1798-MБ (CM). H-198; Sev-2417. Choice Very Fine. (\$100-125)
- 658 Polupoltinnik, 1798-MБ (CM). H-198; Sev-2416. Choice Very Fine. (\$100-125)



- 659 Polupoltinnik, 1799-ФЦ (CM). H-198; Sev-2444. Choice About Uncirculated (\$300-400)



- 660 Novodel Polupoltinnik, 1800-АИ (CM). H-198; Sev-2461; GM-plate 7 no.6. Extremely rare striking from rusted dies. Deeply toned and prooflike. Uncirculated (\$1000-1250)

- 661 Polupoltinnik, 1801-АИ (CM). H-198; Sev-2479. Choice Very Fine. (\$100-125)



- 662 Heavy 10 Kopecks, 1797-ФЦ (CM). H-197; Sev-2392. Toned, Rare. Choice About Uncirculated (\$175-200)



- 663 Heavy 10 Kopecks, 1797-ФЦ (CM). H-197; Sev-2392. Prooflike. Rare. Choice About Uncirculated (\$175-200)

- 664 10 Kopecks, 1798 8 over 7-MБ (CM). H-197; Sev-2413. Extremely Fine (\$75-100)

- 665 10 Kopecks, 1798 8 over 7-MБ (CM). H-197; Sev-2413. Tiny nick. Extremely Fine (\$65-85)

- 666 10 Kopecks, 1798 8 over 7-MБ (CM). H-197; Sev-2413. About Extremely Fine (\$65-85)

- 667 10 Kopecks, 1799-MБ (CM). H-197; Sev-2439. Extremely Fine. (\$75-100)

- 668 10 Kopecks, 1799-MБ (CM). H-197; Sev-2439. Extremely Fine. (\$75-100)



- 669 Heavy 5 Kopecks, 1797-ФЦ (CM). H-196; Sev-2390. Choice About Uncirculated (\$200-250)

- 670 Heavy 5 Kopecks, 1797-ФЦ (CM). H-196; Sev-2389. Extremely Fine. (\$150-175)

- 671 Heavy 5 Kopecks, 1797-ФЦ (CM). H-196; Sev-2389. Planchet lamination on reverse. Extremely Fine (\$100-125)

- 672 5 Kopecks, 1798-MБ (CM). H-196; Sev-2407. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)

- 673 5 Kopecks, 1798-MБ (CM). H-196; Sev-2407. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)

- 674 5 Kopecks, 1798-MБ (CM). H-196; Sev-2407. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$50-75)

- 675 5 Kopecks, 1798-MБ (CM). H-196; Sev-2407. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$50-75)

- 676 5 Kopecks, 1798-MБ (CM). H-196; Sev-2407. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$50-75)

- 677 5 Kopecks, 1798 8 over 7-MБ (CM). H-196; Sev-2408. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-75)

- 678 Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1797 (EM). H-194; B-62. Extremely Fine. (\$125-150)

- 679 2 Kopecks, 1798-(EM). H-194; B-71. Slightly double struck. Extremely Fine (\$50-60)

- 680 2 Kopecks, 1799-(EM). H-194; B-75. Slightly weak strike. Glossy. Extremely Fine (\$40-50)

- 681 Denga, 1797-(AM). H-185; B-23. Weakly struck at edge. Scarce. Extremely Fine (\$50-60)



- 682 Coronation Medal, (1797). Reichel-2962. Silver. 43.8mm. By Leberecht. Paul I bust in uniform right. Reverse: Cross. Extremely Fine. (\$325-375)



683 **Coronation Medal, (1797).** Sev-2388. Silver, 38.6mm. By Meissner. Paul I bust in uniform right. Reverse: Cross. **Very Fine** . . (\$200-250)

684 **Lot of Rubles: 1798-CM МБ, 1799-CM МБ, 1800-CM ОМ, 1801-CM ФЦ.** Dav-1688, 278. Sev-2429, 2452, 2467, 2490. Some with flan flaws or scratches. **Averages Very Fine.** Lot of 4 coins . (\$175-225)

685 **Lot of Rubles: 1798 (2 pieces), 1799 (2 pieces), 1800, 1801 (2 pieces).** Dav-1688, 278. Some with scratches. **Very Good to Very Fine.** Lot of 7 coins . (\$175-225)

686 **Lot of Rubles: 1798, 1799, 1800, 1801.** Dav-1688, 278; Sev-2429, 2454, 2467, 2489. **Fine.** Lot of 4 coins . (\$175-225)

687 **Poltina, 1799-CM МБ.** H-199; Sev-2445; **Poltina, 1800-CM МБ.** H-199; Sev-2463. Both. **Very Good.** Lot of 2 coins . (\$50-70)

688 **Lot of Polupoltinnik's: 1798 (2 pieces) and 1799-CM МБ, 1801-CM АИ.** H-198; Sev-2417, 2443, 2477. One piece well worn, other three pieces, **Fine.** Lot of 4 coins . (\$125-175)

689 **Lot of 10 Kopecks: 1798 (2 pieces) and 1799-CM МБ.** H-197; Sev-2411, 2413, 2440. One piece with digs in fields, another bent. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 3 coins . (\$125-150)

690 **Lot of 5 Kopecks: 1798/7 (2 pieces), 1798 (3 pieces) CM МБ.** H-196; Sev-2407, 2408. **Very Good to Very Fine.** Lot of 5 coins (\$100-125)

691 **Lot of 5 Kopecks: 1798, 1798/7 CM МБ, 1801 CM АИ.** H-196; Sev-2407, 2408, 2470. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 3 coins. . (\$125-150)

692 **Lot of Copper minors: 2 Kopecks, 1798 EM.** H-194; B-71. Rim flaw. **Choice Very Fine; Kopeck's 1798 and 1800 EM.** H-190; B-48,56. **Choice Fine and Extremely Fine; Polushka, 1797 EM.** H-182; B-1. **Very Fine.** Lot of 4 coins . (\$75-100)



694 **Taler, 1798.** Dav-2363; Sev-2492. Friederika Augusta Sophie. Lustrous. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** . . (\$700-900)



695 **1/2 Taler, 1798.** Cr-15; Sev-2493. Prooflike. Rare. **Choice Extremely Fine** . . (\$1000-1250)



696 **1/2 Taler, 1798.** Cr-15; Sev-2493. Lustrous. **Very Fine** . . (\$400-500)

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693 **Taler, 1798.** Dav-2363; Sev-2492. Issued under Russian administration of Friederike Augusta Sophie, sister-in-law of Catherine II. Lustrous. Rare. **Choice About Uncirculated** . . (\$1000-1500)

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ALEXANDER I, 1801-1825

Alexander inherited the throne upon the murder of his father Paul. His liberal education led him initially upon a program of domestic reforms. In his later years he became more reactionary, suspicious and despotic to the point that the Decembrist movement was on the verge of revolt.

Internationally Alexander led Russia in her most glorious years. Georgia was annexed leading to war with Persia from 1804 to 1813. Finland was acquired after a successful war against Sweden in 1808-09. Moldavia, Wallachia and Bessarabia were added by the Russo-Turkish War of 1806-12. There was also continued expansion into Alaska and northern California.

It was the long adversarial relationship with Napoleon I culminating with the great War of Liberation and occupation of Paris in 1814 by Russian troops that earned Alexander the title of "Savior of Europe." He died without heir under mysterious circumstances on December 1st 1825.



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- 697 **Pattern Ruble, 1801-AI.** Sev-2494; GM-2 (Tres Rare); Julian-955. Silver, 37.25 mm, 20.49 grams, lettered edge. Date over eagle. Reverse: Five line legend in wreath. Beautifully toned, Extremely Rare Original. **About Uncirculated.**

..... (\$5000-6000)

Ex Hess Hermitage Duplicate sale 1931, lot 143.



- 700 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1801-AI (СПБ).** Sev-2506; GM-Unlisted; Julian-947. Silver, 37.5 mm, 19.86 grams, plain hand finished edge. By Leberecht. Long neck lionine bust in circle right. Reverse: Date over eagle. Obverse die crack. **Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$2000-3000)



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- 698 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1801-AI (СПБ).** Similar to Sev-2497 and Julian-941. Silver, 39.3 mm, 13.77 grams, hand finished plain edge. By Leberecht. Long neck lionine bust right. Reverse: Eagle, date above. Toned. **Extremely Rare, if not Unique. Choice Extremely Fine.**

..... (\$4000-5000)

This die and edge combination is unlisted as a novodel.

Ex Randolph Zander Collection, via World Wide Coins of California.



- 701 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1801-AI (СПБ).** Sev-2507; GM-Unlisted; Julian-951. Silver, 40 mm, 20.68 grams, edge no.1. By Leberecht. Long neck lionine bust in circle right. Reverse: Date over eagle in circle. Novodel with obverse and reverse dies broken. **Very Rare. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated** (\$3000-4000)



- 699 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1801-AI (СПБ).** Sev-2500; GM-339; Julian-942. Silver, 37.5 mm, 23.33 grams, plain hand finished edge. By Leberecht. Long neck lionine bust right. Reverse: Eagle within circle, date above. With brushed surfaces. **Very Rare. Extremely Fine.**

..... (\$2000-3000)



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- 702 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, ND (1802) СПБ.** Sev-2501; GM-340; Julian-945. Silver, 40 mm, 20.85 grams, edge no. 1 (reeded slanting right). By Leberecht. Long neck lionine bust right. Reverse: Legend in wreath. Mint mark on each side. **Prooflike. Very Rare. About Uncirculated** (\$4000-5000)

Ex Count Bobrinsky Collection.



- 703 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1802-АИ (СПБ).** Sev-2524; GM-347; Julian-951. Silver, 40.2 mm, 22.86 grams, edge no.1. By Leberecht. Long necked lionine bust within circle right. Normal die break. Reverse: Eagle within circle, date above. Prooflike. Very Rare. **About Uncirculated** (\$3000-4000)
This specimen Ex Hess Hermitage Duplicate sale 1932, lot 152, later from World Wide Auction VIII lot 628.

- 708 **Ruble, 1803-ФГ (СПБ).** Dav-279; Sev-2537. Toned. **Very Fine.** (\$50-75)
 709 **Ruble, 1803-АИ (СПБ).** Dav-279; Sev-2534. Toned. **Very Fine.** (\$40-60)



- 710 **Pattern Ruble, 1804.** Sev-2552. Bronze, 40.9 mm, 26.68 grams, plain edge. By C.H. Kuchler. Struck at the Soho mint, Birmingham. Trace of cleaning. **Extremely Fine** (\$225-275)



- 704 **Ruble, 1802-АИ (СПБ).** Dav-279; Sev-2519. Minor planchet lamination on reverse rim. Fully lustrous and near mint state. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$300-400)



- 711 **Pattern Ruble, 1804.** Sev-2552. Bronze, 40.9 mm, 26.42 grams, plain edge. By C.H. Kuchler. Struck at the Soho mint, Birmingham. Rim bump and scratch in field. **Extremely Fine** (\$225-275)



- 705 **Ruble, 1802-АИ (СПБ).** Dav-279; Sev-2519. Fully lustrous. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated** (\$225-275)
 706 **Ruble, 1802-АИ (СПБ).** Dav-279; Sev-2519. **Choice Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)



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- 712 **Pattern Ruble, 1804.** Sev-2552. Bronze, 40.9 mm, 24.36 grams, plain edge. By C.H. Kuchler. Struck at the Soho mint, Birmingham. Harshly cleaned. **Extremely Fine** (\$175-200)
 713 **Ruble, 1804-ФГ (СПБ).** Dav-279; Sev-2546. Toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$175-200)
 714 **Ruble, 1804-ФГ (СПБ).** Dav-279; Sev-2546. Weakly struck in center. Lustrous. **Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)
 715 **Ruble, 1804-ФГ (СПБ).** Dav-279; Sev-2545. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine** (\$50-75)



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- 707 **Ruble, 1803-ФГ (СПБ).** Dav-279; Sev-2537. Fully lustrous, once cleaned showing moderate hairlines. Scarcer assayer for this date. **About Uncirculated** (\$225-275)



716 Ruble, 1805-ФГ (СПБ). Dav-279; Sev-2558. Trace of cleaning on reverse. **About Uncirculated** (\$200-250)

717 Ruble, 1805-ФГ (СПБ). Dav-279; Sev-2558. Light scratches. Toned. **Very Fine** (\$40-60)



718 **Pattern Ruble, 1806.** Sev-2563; GM-61; Julian-964. Silver, 37.4 mm, 22.40 grams, incuse lettered edge. By Leberecht. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Eagle, date above. Prooflike with edge filing. **Extremely Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$4000-5000) *Extremely rare original striking, valued by Giel at 300 Rubles in 1904. The Tolstoy specimen brought 1750 Marks in 1913.*



719 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, ND (1806).** As Sev-2564. Silver, 37.9 mm, 18.83 grams, "hand finished plain edge." By Leberecht. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Four line legend in wreath without mint mark. Severely broken reverse die. A totally unlisted muling of dies. Toned. Presumably unique. **Extremely Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$4000-5000)



720 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1806.** Sev-2564; GM-61 (note); Julian-963. Silver, 37.8 mm, 17.14 grams, plain edge. By Leberecht. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Eagle, date above. Polished with some roughness in field. **Very Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$2000-2500) *The novodel is listed by Michailovitch as being as rare as the original.*



721 **Pattern Ruble, 180- (1806).** Sev-2565; GM-62; Julian-965 variety. Silver, 37.5 mm, 20.54 grams, plain edge. By Leberecht. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Eagle within incuse circular legend. Prooflike with contact marks in field. **Very Rare original striking. Extremely Fine.** (\$3000-4000)



722 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, 181- (1806).** As Sev-2565; as GM-62; Julian-Unlisted. Silver, 37.7 mm, 21.37 grams, plain edge. By Leberecht. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Eagle within incuse circular legend. Large die break on reverse rim. Lightly toned. **Very Rare. About Uncirculated.** (\$3000-4000) *This is the first specimen we can trace of this die combination as a novodel.*

Ex Superior, Dec 1988.



- 723 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, ND (1806) СПБ.** Sev-Unlisted; GM-387; Julian-Unlisted. Silver, 37.6 mm, 22.09 grams, plain edge. By Leberecht. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Four line legend and mint mark in wreath. Prooflike with light handling. Very Rare. Uncirculated. (\$3000-4000)



- 724 **Pattern Ruble, 1807.** Sev-2577; GM-Unlisted; Julian-975. Silver, 37.6 mm, 24.28 grams. Plain edge. By Leberecht. Uniformed bust right. Reverse: Value and date within circular legend. Cleaned, rim damage. Extremely Rare Original. Very Fine to Extremely Fine. (\$1500-2000)



- 725 **Ruble, 1807-ФГ (СПБ).** Dav-280; Sev-2571. Very scarce date. Choice Very Fine to Extremely Fine. (\$250-300)



- 726 **Ruble, 1808-МК (СПБ).** Dav-280; Sev-2584. Beautifully struck and fully lustrous. Minor planchet lamination. About Uncirculated. (\$400-500)



- 727 **Ruble, 1808-МК (СПБ).** Dav-280; Sev-2584. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$200-250)



- 728 **Ruble, 1809-МК (СПБ).** Dav-280; Sev-2593. Choice fully struck. About Uncirculated to Uncirculated. (\$500-600)



- 729 **Ruble, 1809-МК (СПБ).** Dav-280; Sev-2593. Lustrous. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated. (\$250-300)



- 730 **Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1810.** Sev-2605; GM-403; Julian-979. Silver, 37.5 mm, 21.16 grams. By Lialin. Bare bust right. Reverse: "1810 ГОДА". Prooflike. Rare. Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated. (\$3000-4000)



- 731 Novodel Pattern Ruble, 1810. Sev-2605; GM-403; Julian-979. Silver, 37.5 mm, 23.32 grams. By Lialin. Bare bust right. Reverse: 1810 ГОДА. Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$2000-3000)



- 732 Novodel Pattern Ruble, ND (1810). Sev-2604; GM-Unlisted; Julian-980. Silver, 38 mm, 21.01 grams. By Lialin. Bare bust right. Reverse: Four line legend. Rare. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$2000-2500)



- 733 Ruble, 1810-ФГ (СПБ). Dav-280; Sev-2602. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$500-700)



- 734 Ruble, 1810-ФГ (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2614; GM-94. Minor planchet laminations. **Extremely Fine** (\$500-600)
First year of final type ruble of Alexander I. Very rare date. This is the only example we have handled.

- 735 Ruble, 1813-ПС (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2658. Struck slightly off center. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)

- 736 Ruble, 1813-ПС (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2658. Lightly cleaned. **Extremely Fine** (\$40-60)



- 737 Ruble, 1814-ПС (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2681 variety. Fully struck with lightly brushed surface. **Uncirculated** (\$200-250)



- 738 Ruble, 1817-ПС (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2738. Deeply struck with heavy handling marks. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$250-UP)
The exceptional strike and surface quality indicate this is probably a proof or business strike from proof dies.

- 739 Ruble, 1817-ПС (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2734. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$125-150)



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- 740 Ruble, 1818-ПС (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2751. Beautifully toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$175-200)

- 741 Ruble, 1818 (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2759. Variety without assayers letters. Weak strike. **Very Rare. Very Good** (\$100-UP)

- 742 Ruble, 1819-ПС (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2774. Lustrous. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated** (\$125-150)

- 743 Ruble, 1819-ПС (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2777 (?). Open 2 (on reverse) variety caused by die deterioration. Possibly the rare later striking. **Choice Very Fine** (\$75-UP)

- 744 Ruble, 1820-ПС (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2796; GM-263. Extremely rare assayer for this date. Toned. **Very Fine** (\$200-UP)

- 745 Ruble, 1822-ПД (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2825. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated** (\$175-200)

- 746 Ruble, 1823-ПД (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2840. Trace of cleaning. **Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)

- 747 Ruble, 1823-ПД (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2841. Weak strike. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)



- 748 Ruble, 1824-ПД (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2854. Lustrous. About Uncirculated to Uncirculated (\$250-300)
- 749 Ruble, 1825-ПД (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2870. Scarce last year issue for Alexander I. Choice well struck, **Extremely Fine** (\$150-175)
- 750 Ruble, 1825-ПД (СПБ). Dav-281; Sev-2870. Scarce last year issue for Alexander I. Reverse scratch. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)



- 751 Poltina, 1802-АИ (СПБ). H-237; Sev-2516. Light adjustment marks and mottled toning. Scarce type. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$200-300)

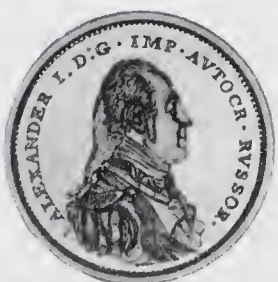


- 752 Poltina, 1803-АИ (СПБ). H-237; Sev-2533. Well struck and lightly toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$300-400)



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- 753 Pattern Poltina, ND (1804). Sev-2549. Silver. 27.2 mm, 9.26 grams. Plain edge. By Kuchler. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Imperial eagle. Prooflike with light handling. **Very Rare. About Uncirculated.** (\$600-800)



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- 754 Pattern Poltina, ND (1804). Sev-2550. Bronze. 27.1 mm, 7.15 grams. Plain edge. By Kuchler. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Imperial eagle. Prooflike. **Uncirculated** (\$300-400)



- 755 Pattern Poltina, ND (1804). Sev-2550. Bronze, 27.1 mm, 7.71 grams. Plain edge. By Kuchler. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Imperial eagle. Prooflike. **About Uncirculated** (\$200-300)

- 756 Pattern Poltina, ND (1804). Sev-2550. Bronze. 27.2 mm, 7.76 grams. plain edge. By Kuchler. Minor rim nicks. **About Uncirculated** (\$125-150)



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- 757 Pattern Poltina, ND (1804). Sev-unlisted. Gilt Bronze. 27.2 mm, 7.28 grams, Plain edge. By Kuchler. Bust in uniform right. Reverse: Imperial eagle. Prooflike with light hairlines. **Very Rare. Uncirculated.** (\$500-600)



- 758 Poltina, 1804-ФГ (СПБ). H-237; Sev-2543. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated** (\$400-500)



- 759 Poltina, 1804-ФГ (СПБ). H-237; Sev-2543. Deeply toned. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated** (\$300-400)



- 760 Poltina, 1810-ФГ (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2611. New type eagle design. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$300-400)

- 761 Poltina, 1812-МФ (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2632. Well struck. **Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)

- 762 Poltina, 1812-МФ (СПБ). H 239; Sev-2632. Unlisted over-assayer МФ over ФМ.. **Extremely Fine** (\$100-UP)

Coinage of Alexander I

763 Poltina, 1812-МФ (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2632. Unlisted over assayer МФ over ФГ. Toned. **Very Fine** (\$50—UP)

764 Poltina, 1813-ПС (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2652. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated** (\$125-150)

765 Poltina, 1813-ПС (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2652. Toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$100—UP)

766 Poltina, 1813-ПС (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2652. Minor rim bump. Toned **Extremely Fine** (\$65—UP)



767 Novodel Poltina, 1815-МФ (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2696. Very rare novodel with narrow reverse crown. Prooflike. **About Uncirculated to Uncirculated** (\$300-400)

768 Poltina, 1817-ПС (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2731. Deeply toned. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$125-150)



769 Poltina, 1819-ПС (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2770. Light handling and reverse hairlines. **Proof** (\$300-400)

770 Poltina, 1819-ПС (СПБ). H-239; Sev-2768. Toned. **Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated** (\$125-150)



771 Polupoltinnik, 1802-АИ (СПБ). H-235; Sev-2513. Lustrous toned. Very Scarce. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)

772 Polupoltinnik, 1802-АИ (СПБ). H-235; Sev-2513. Toned. **Fine to Very Fine** (\$75-100)



773 Novodel Polupoltinnik, 1803-АИ (СПБ). H-235; Sev-2530. Very rare novodel striking on broad flan. Prooflike. **About Uncirculated** (\$500-600)



774 Novodel Polupoltinnik, 1803-АИ (СПБ). H-235; Sev-2530. Very Rare, Prooflike. **About Uncirculated** (\$400-500)

775 Polupoltinnik, 1803-АИ (СПБ). H-235; Sev-2529. **Fine to Very Fine** (\$75-100)

776 Polupoltinnik, 1804-ФГ (СПБ). H-235; Sev-2542. **Choice Very Fine** (\$150-175)

777 Polupoltinnik, 1804-ФГ (СПБ). H-235; Sev-2542. Attractive. **Fine to Very Fine** (\$75-100)



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778 Polupoltinnik, 1809-МК (СПБ). H-236; Sev-2589. Toned. Rare type. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$400-500)

779 Polupoltinnik, 1809-МК (СПБ). H-236; Sev-2589. Scarce. **Very Fine** (\$125-150)

780 20 Kopecks, 1814 4 over 3-МФ (СПБ). H-234; Sev-2673. Interesting overdate. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$40-50)

781 20 Kopecks, 1820 20 over 19-ПД (СПБ). H-334; Sev-2786. Overassayer ПД over С. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$40-50)

782 10 Kopecks, 1802-АИ (СПБ). H-232; Sev-2511. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)

783 10 Kopecks, 1802-АИ (СПБ). H-232; Sev-2511. Lustrous. **Extremely Fine** (\$100-125)

784 10 Kopecks, 1802-АИ (СПБ). H-232; Sev-2511. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)

785 10 Kopecks, 1809-МК (СПБ). H-232; Sev-2586. Field mark. Rarest date of scarce type. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)

786 Medal, 1814. Reichel-3290; Brown-848. Bronze, 54 mm, by T. Webb. Great Britain praises Alexander I on the European peace. Laureate bust of Alexander I right. Reverse: Legend in wreath. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$40-60)

787 Medal, 1825. Reichel-3431 (AR). Bronze, 68.5 mm, by Klepikov. Death of Czar Alexander I. Laureate bust of Alexander I within circular snake representing eternal life. Reverse: Radiant Eye of God and legend memorializing the victory of 1812. **Extremely Fine** (\$100-125)

788 Lot of Rubles. 1804, 1805, 1810. Dav-279, 280. **Fine to Very Fine**. Lot of 3 coins (\$75-100)

789 Lot of Ruble's date run. 1811, 1812, 1813, 1814, 1815, 1816, 1817, 1818, 1819, 1820, 1821, 1822, 1823, 1824, 1825. Dav-281. **Very Good to Very Fine**. Lot of 15 coins (\$300-350)

790 Lot of Rubles date run. 1811, 1812, 1813, 1814, 1815, 1816, 1817, 1818, 1819, 1820, 1821. Dav-281. **Very Good to Very Fine**. Lot of 11 coins (\$325-375)

791 Lot of Rubles date run. 1811, 1812, 1813, 1814, 1815, 1816, 1817, 1818. Dav-281. **Very Good to Fine**. Lot of 8 coins (\$125-150)

792 Lot of Rubles: 1811, 1813, 1814, 1817, 1818 (6 pieces), 1823 (3 pieces), 1924 (2 pieces). Dav-281. Some cleaned. **Good to Very Fine**. Lot of 15 coins (\$225-275)

793 Lot of Poltina's. 1813, 1815, 1817. H-239. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**. Lot of 3 coins (\$100-125)

794 Lot of Poltina's. 1813, 1817, 1819, 1820. H-239, 259. All **Very Fine**. Lot of 4 coins (\$100-125)

795 Lot of Poltina's. 1813-1819. **Good to Fine**. Lot of 13 coins . (\$50-75)

796 Lot of Poltina's. 1817, 1819, 1820. H-239, 259. **Very Fine**. Lot of 3 coins (\$75-100)

797 Lot of 20 Kopecks. 1813, 1822, 1823/19. H-234. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated**. Lot of 3 coins (\$75-100)

798 Lot of 10 Kopecks. 1813, 1820, 1822/1, 1823. H-233. Some toned. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated**. Lot of 4 coins . . (\$100-125)

799 Lot of 5 Kopecks. 1811, 1815, 1816, 1819, 1821, 1822, 1823, 1824, 1825. H-231. A few scarce date. A nice lot that should be examined. **Very Fine to Uncirculated**. Lot of 9 coins (\$250-300)

800 Miscellaneous minor lot. 5 Kopecks through 20 Kopecks. **Very Good to About Uncirculated**. Lot of 35 coins (\$250-300)



POLAND UNDER RUSSIA

Poland's traditional system of electing kings rather than inheritance of the throne through succession of a royal family had always made the kingdom especially susceptible to outside political influences. Wars and intrigues of Prussia, Russia and Austria carved up Poland in partitions of 1772 and 1793. By the final partition in October 1796 there was nothing left.

The Peace of Tilsit in 1807 set up the Napoleonic puppet state of the Grand Duchy of Warsaw. Under the rule of Frederick August III of Saxony it was to be used basically as a recruiting ground for troops for Napoleon's armies. After Russia threw the French out, the duchy ceased to exist but was reconstituted by the Congress of Vienna as the Congress Kingdom of Poland with the Czar of Russia Alexander I, as king. A special coinage was begun in 1815 and continued in some denominations until 1841. The insurrection of 1830-31 brought on by revolutions in France and Belgium saw the issuance of a few independent Polish coin types in 1831. The rebellion was put down harshly and Poland was reduced to the status of a Russian province. At that time, the double denomination coinage for use in both Russia and Poland was begun and continued from 1832 until 1850. The Warsaw mint continued to strike coins of strictly Russian types until 1864 when it was closed permanently during the revolt of 1863-64. At that point, Poland ceased to exist as a political entity until after World War I.



- 801 10 Zlotych, 1820-I.B. Dav-248; Cr-101; GM-plate 2, no.5. Only 534 pieces struck. Cleaned with flan flaw below bust. Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$700-900)



- 802 10 Zlotych, 1822-I.B. Dav-248; Cr-101; GM-plate 11, no.20. Only 233 pieces struck. A few light field marks. **Extremely Rare. Proof.** (\$2000-2500)



- 803 10 Zlotych, 1822-I.B. Dav-248; Cr-101; GM-plate 11, no.20. Only 233 pieces struck. Minor rim flaws, Toned. Rare. **Very Fine** . (\$800-1000)



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- 804 10 Zlotych, 1827-F.H. (Warsaw). Dav-249; GM-88; HCz-3612. Laureate bust right. Reverse: Eagle. Only 123 pieces struck. Beautifully toned. **Extremely Rare. Uncirculated** (\$5000-6000)
Ex Randolph Zander Collection.



- 805 10 Zlotych, 1827-F.H. (Warsaw). Dav-249; GM-88; HCz-3612. Laureate bust right. Reverse: Eagle. Only 123 pieces struck of the type. Prooflike with lightly hairlined surface. **Extremely Rare. About Uncirculated** (\$4000-5000)

- 806 5 Zlotych, 1817-I.B. Cr-100; GM-plate 1, no.10. **Choice Very Fine.** (\$50-75)
- 807 5 Zlotych, 1829-F.H. Cr-116; GM-plate IV, no.13. **Choice Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$50-65)
- 808 5 Zlotych, 1834-K.G. Cr-116; GM-plate V, no.22. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$100-125)
- 809 2 Zlotych, 1816-I.B. Cr-99; GM-plate 1, no.2. Some verdigris and adjustment marks. **Extremely Fine** (\$40-50)
- 810 2 Zlotych, 1826-I.B. Cr-115; GM-plate III, no.18. **Extremely Fine.** (\$50-75)
- 811 2 Zlotych, 1831-K.G. Cr-123; GM-plate V, no.5. Insurrection. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-65)
- 812 Zloty, 1834-I.P. Cr-114; GM-plate V, no.24. **Choice Extremely Fine.** (\$50-60)
- 813 Type set of Polish Insurrection coinage. 3 Groszy, 10 Groszy, 2 and 5 Zlotych, 1831. Cr-120-124. **Choice Very Fine to Choice Extremely Fine.** Lot of 4 coins (\$100-125)



- 814 10 Zlotych or 1 1/2 Rubles, 1833-HI' (St. Petersburg). Dav-284; Sev-3029. With moderate field marks and handling. Attractive light toning. **Very Rare. Proof** (\$750-1000)
- 815 10 Zlotych or 1 1/2 Rubles, 1833-HI'. Dav-284; Sev-3029. **Choice Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$70-90)
- 816 10 Zlotych or 1 1/2 Rubles, 1833-HI'. Dav-284; Sev-3029. **Choice Very Fine** (\$50-60)
- 817 10 Zlotych or 1 1/2 Rubles, 1834-HI'. Dav-284; Sev-3062. **Choice Very Fine** (\$50-75)
- 818 10 Zlotych or 1 1/2 Rubles, 1834-HI'. Dav-284; Sev-3063. Lustrous. **Choice Very Fine** (\$65-85)
- 819 10 Zlotych or 1 1/2 Rubles, 1835-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3107. Rim bump. **Extremely Fine** (\$65-85)
- 820 10 Zlotych or 1 1/2 Rubles, 1835-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3107. **Choice Very Fine** (\$65-85)

- 821 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1835-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3109. Choice Very Fine (\$65-85)



- 822 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1836-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3167. Beautifully toned. About Uncirculated (\$225-275)
- 823 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1836-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3167. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$125-150)
- 824 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1836-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3168. Prooflike with lovely tone. Extremely Fine (\$125-150)
- 825 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1836-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3166. Somewhat prooflike with hairlines. Extremely Fine (\$100-125)
- 826 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1836-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3166. Choice Very Fine (\$50-75)
- 827 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1836-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3176. Toned. Extremely Fine (\$100-125)
- 828 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1836-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3178. Very Fine. (\$50-65)
- 829 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1836-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3178. Very Fine. (\$50-65)
- 830 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1836-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3176. Very Fine. (\$50-65)



- 831 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1837-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3233. Very scarce. Choice Extremely Fine (\$175-200)
- 832 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1837-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3233. Very scarce. Choice Extremely Fine (\$175-200)
- 833 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1837-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3236. Very Fine. (\$50-65)
- 834 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1837 7 over 6-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3237. Choice Very Fine (\$50-75)
- 835 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1837 7 over 6-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3237. Very Fine (\$50-65)



- 836 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1838-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3272. Reported mintage of 13 pieces. Moderate handling. Extremely Rare. Proof. (\$2000-3000)

- 837 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1838-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3273. Rim nick. Scarce date. Very Fine (\$75-100)
- 838 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1839-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3309. Scarce. Choice Very Fine (\$125-150)
- 839 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1839-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3309. Rim nick. Scarce. Very Fine (\$75-100)



- 840 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1840-НГ. Dav-284; Sev-3343. Light handling and a few hairlines. Extremely Rare. Proof. (\$2000-3000)
Only the second piece located in the last 15 years.



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- 841 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1840-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3341. Light handling marks. Proof (\$1000-1500)
Ex Randolph Zander private treaty sale 1965.

Coinage of Poland Under Russia



- 842 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1840-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3341. Light handling and toned. Extremely Rare. Rare (\$1000-1500)
- 843 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1840-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3341. Choice Very Fine (\$75-100)
- 844 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1840-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3341. Very Fine. (\$50-75)



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- 845 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1841-HГ. Dav-284; Sev-3375. Beautifully toned with light handling on the reverse. Extremely Rare date. Proof. (\$3000-4000)
The first we have encountered.

- 846 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1841-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3376. Cleaned. Very Fine (\$50-75)
- 847 10 Zlotych or 1½ Rubles, 1841-MW. Dav-284; Sev-3376. About Very Fine (\$50-75)
- 848 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1833-HГ. H-329; Sev-3026. Choice Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$100-125)
- 849 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1833-HГ. H-329; Sev-3026. Very Fine (\$50-75)



- 850 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1834-HГ. H-329; Sev-3047. Lightly toned. Very Rare. Proof (\$600-800)
- 851 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1834-HГ. H-329; Sev-3048. Toned. About Extremely Fine (\$40-50)



- 852 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1835-HГ. H-329; Sev-3098. Choice About Uncirculated (\$175-200)
- 853 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1835-MW. H-329; Sev-3101. Choice Extremely Fine (\$75-100)



- 854 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1836-MW. H-330; Sev-3157. Choice About Uncirculated (\$175-200)



- 855 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1837-HГ. H-329; Sev-3219. Lightly toned. Very Rare. Choice Proof (\$700-900)
Ex Randolph Zander private treaty sale.



- 856 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1837-HГ. H-329; Sev-3219. Superb strike and prooflike. Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated . . (\$225-275)
- 857 5 Zlotych or ¾ Rubles, 1838-MW. H-330; Sev-3268. Toned. Extremely Fine (\$75-100)
- 858 5 Zlotych or ¾ Ruble, 1838-MW. Sev-3266. Minor field marks. Toned. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)



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- 859 5 Zlotych or $\frac{3}{4}$ Ruble, 1839-HГ. H-329; Sev-3300. Brilliant with light peripheral toning and a few light hairlines. This piece and the similar piece of the same date in the 1839 Proof set which will be sold later in the sale are the only two specimens known outside of museums. Of the highest rarity. Proof. (\$7000-9000)

- 860 5 Zlotych or $\frac{3}{4}$ Ruble, 1839-MW. H-330; Sev-3301. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$75-100)

- 861 5 Zlotych or $\frac{3}{4}$ Ruble, 1839-MW. Sev-3301. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$75-100)



- 862 5 Zlotych or $\frac{3}{4}$ Ruble, 1840-MW. H-330; Sev-3334. Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated (\$200-250)

- 863 5 Zlotych or $\frac{3}{4}$ Ruble, 1840-MW. Sev-3332. Field marks, toned. Extremely Fine (\$65-85)

- 864 5 Zlotych or $\frac{3}{4}$ Ruble, 1840-MW. Sev-3331. Once cleaned, toned. Extremely Fine (\$50-65)



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- 865 5 Zlotych or $\frac{3}{4}$ Ruble, 1841-HГ. H-329; Sev-3357. Beautifully toned with a few light handling marks. Extremely Rare date. Proof. (\$1000-1500)
Ex Randolph Zander, private treaty purchase 1964.



- 866 5 Zlotych or $\frac{3}{4}$ Ruble, 1841-MW. H-330; Sev-3360. Toned. About Uncirculated (\$175-200)

- 867 25 Kopecks- 50 Groszy, 1847-MW. Cr-131; H-323; Sev-3515. Natural edge clip. Scarce. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)

- 868 20 Kopecks- 40 Groszy, 1844-MW. H-320; Sev-3445. Rare type. Choice Very Fine to Extremely Fine (\$75-100)

- 869 15 Kopecks- 1 Zloty, 1832-HГ. Sev-2992. Deeply struck, toned. Rare date. Uncirculated (\$125-150)

- 870 1 Zloty, 1835 (Krakow). Cr-13. Extremely Fine (\$40-50)

- 871 Zloty, 1835 (Krakow). Cr-13. Rim nicks. Very Fine and Extremely Fine. Lot of 2 coins (\$50-75)

- 872 1 Grosz, 1839-MW. Cr-106; GM-plate VI, no.19. Superb. Choice Uncirculated (\$40-50)

- 873 Lot of Portrait coinage consisting of the following: 1 Zloty, 1818, 1828, 1830; 2 Zlote 1816; 5 Zlotych, 1829. Fine to Extremely Fine. Lot of 5 coins (\$125-150)

- 874 Lot of Minor coins consisting of: 5 Groszy 1816, 1818, 1829 and 10 Groszy, 1816 (2 pieces), 1830. Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Lot of 6 coins (\$100-125)

- 875 Lot of 10 Zlotych or $1\frac{1}{2}$ Rubles: 1833, 1834, 1835, 1836 and 1837. All (HГ). Some with nicks, cleaning or scratches. Very Fine. Lot of 5 coins (\$200-250)

- 876 Lot of 10 Zlotych or $1\frac{1}{2}$ Rubles: 1836, 1837, 1837/6, 1840. All MW. Average Fine to Very Fine. Lot of 4 coins (\$125-175)

- 877 Lot of 10 Zlotych or $1\frac{1}{2}$ Rubles: 1833, 1835, 1836 (HГ), 1836, 1837 (MW). Averages Fine. Lot of 5 coins (\$125-175)

- 878 Lot of 10 Zlotych or $1\frac{1}{2}$ Rubles: 1833-HГ (3 pieces), 1835-HГ (2 pieces), 1836-MW (2 pieces) and 1837-MW (2 pieces). Some with flaws. Very Good to Very Fine (\$300-350)

- 879 Lot of $\frac{3}{4}$ Rubles: 1834-HГ, 1837-MW, 1839-MW, 1840-MW. Averages Very Fine. Lot of 4 coins (\$125-150)

- 880 Lot of $\frac{3}{4}$ Rubles: 1834-HГ, 1837-MW, 1838-MW, 1839-MW (3 pieces), 1840-MW (2 pieces), 1841-MW. Fine to Very Fine. Lot of 9 coins (\$125-175)

- 881 Lot of Minor coins: 40 Groszy, 1843; 2 Zlote 1835, 1836 (2 pieces), 1839. All MW. Very Good to Fine. Lot of 5 coins (\$40-50)

- 882 Lot of 15 Kopecks- 1 Zlote pieces: 1833, 1836, 1840 (2 pieces). All MW. Very Fine or better. Lot of 4 coins (\$50-70)

- 883 Mixed lot: 1 Grosz, 1840-MW; 5 Groszy, 1839-MW, 1840-MW; 10 Groszy, 1839-MW, 1840-MW (5 pieces). Averages Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Lot of 9 coins (\$75-100)

End of First Session

Second Session

Tuesday Evening, February 12, 1991
promptly at 6:00 P.M. in the Auction Gallery
Lots 884 - 1767



- 884 Ruble, 1826-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2895. Sharply struck with brilliant fields with some moderate hairlines. Scarce date. **Proof**.
..... (\$700-900)
- 885 Ruble, 1826-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2897. Cleaned. Scarce. **Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$50-75)



- 886 Novodel Pattern Portrait Ruble, 1827-НГ (СПБ). Sev-2911; GM-22 note. Silver, 36 mm, 13.9 grams, plain edge. Bust of Nicholas I right. Mint mark under truncation. Reverse: "Masonic" type eagle within circular wreath. Prooflike. **Extremely Rare. Choice Uncirculated**.
..... (\$7000-9000)
Ex Virgil Brand Collection, by private treaty from James Elmen

- 887 Ruble, 1827-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2907. Toned. **Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$50-75)
- 888 Ruble, 1827-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2908. Moderate handling marks. **Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$50-60)
- 889 Ruble, 1828-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2921. Deeply struck, moderate handling, prooflike. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$125-150)
- 890 Bavaria Taler, 1828. Dav-563. **Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$125-150)
Nicholas I was so charmed by the design of this coin that he ordered the "family ruble" of 1835-1836 designed to show off his own family.



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- 891 Ruble, 1829-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2934. Superb fully struck specimen with light peripheral toning. One of the finest we have seen. **Uncirculated**.
..... (\$700-900)
- 892 Ruble, 1829-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2934. Lightly toned. **Choice About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$150-175)
- 893 Ruble, 1829-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2934. **Choice Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$65-85)



- 894 Ruble, 1830-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2956. With some moderate handling. **Proof**.
..... (\$500-700)
- 895 Ruble, 1830-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2965. Long ribbon. Fully lustrous. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$175-200)
- 896 Ruble, 1830-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2957. **Choice Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$75-100)



See Color Plate 4

- 897 Ruble, 1831-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2983. Toned with light handling and hairlines. **Proof**.
..... (\$700-900)



NICHOLAS I, 1825-1855

The third son of Czar Paul I, Nicholas was not educated to rule, but his oldest brother Czar Alexander I died without heirs. Paul's second son Constantine, administrator of Poland, had married a commoner and renounced his right of succession. Thus Nicholas came to the throne at the age of 29 with only a background of military training and severely reactionary political leanings. He froze Russia in its tracks politically and intellectually for 30 years and was known as the policeman of Europe for his efforts in maintaining status quo and legitimacy of the royal dynasties. His efforts to maintain the Ottoman Empire as it was disintegrating led him into war with Turkey and from there into the Crimean War against England and France. His defeats there broke his spirit and health and he died on March 2nd 1855.



- 898 Ruble, 1831 1 over 0-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2977. Choice Uncirculated (\$500-600)
- 899 Ruble, 1831 1 over 0-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2980. Choice Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$125-150)
- 900 Ruble, 1831-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2984. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$75-100)
- 901 Ruble, 1831-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2984. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$75-100)
- 902 Ruble, 1831-НГ (СПБ). Dav-282; Sev-2983. Light handling. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)
- 903 Ruble, 1832-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3001. Marks in reverse field. Variety with 8 bud groups. Very Scarce. Extremely Fine .. (\$65-85)



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- 904 Ruble, 1833-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3027. Beautifully toned. Choice Proof (\$1000-1250)



- 905 Ruble, 1834-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3058 variety. Prooflike. Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated (\$225-275)
- 906 Ruble, 1834-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3052. Light handling. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)
- 907 Ruble, 1834-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3058. Lustrous. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)
- 908 Ruble, 1834. Dav-285; Sev-3061. Alexander I Monument commemorative. Extremely Fine (\$175-200)
- 909 Ruble, 1835-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3104. Extremely Fine (\$50-65)



- 910 1 1/2 Rubles or 10 Zlotych (Family Ruble), 1836. Dav-286; Sev-3181. Very early novodel with just beginning of the diagnostic edge flaw on obverse. Lightly cleaned. Very Rare. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$4000-5000)



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- 911 Ruble, 1836-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3159. With some light hairlines and moderate handling on reverse. Proof (\$500-700)



- 912 Ruble, 1836-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3160. Choice Uncirculated. (\$175-200)



- 913 Ruble, 1837-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3228. Brilliant with moderate handling marks. Rare. Proof (\$700-900)



- 914 Ruble, 1837-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3228. Lightly cleaned. Scarce date. **Proof**(\$500-700)
- 915 Ruble, 1837-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3230. **Uncirculated**(\$125-150)
- 916 Ruble, 1837-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3229. Lightly toned. **About Uncirculated**(\$75-100)



- 917 Ruble, 1838-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3269. Well struck with broad rim. A few hairlines on reverse. Very Rare. **Proof**(\$1000-1250)
- 918 Ruble, 1838-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3269. Scarce. **Very Fine**.
.....(\$40-50)

The lots offered in this sale will be
sold subject to the terms of sale as printed
in the front of this catalogue.

FAMED 1839 IMPERIAL PROOF SET



See Color Plate 5

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The date 1839 is the magic year for specialists in 19th century Russian coinage. The rare denominations of this date, especially in proof condition, have been recognized and highly prized by numismatists in and out of Russia since the middle of the last century—carried forward by Irving Goodman in his magnificent collection. He considers this set to be the cornerstone of his Russian holdings, as it will certainly be for any future owner.

The set is comprised of 8 regular issue denominations. The commemoratives were not included as part of a regular set. A proof 1834 Alexander the First Monument commemorative ruble and a large commemorative medal, described below, were included in the presentation case. Over the years the poltina originally in the set has unfortunately been lost. After 150 years the plush velvet lining of the presentation case has imparted the coins with a gold to golden brown and mottled white toning.

The coins are as follows:

1. 1½ Rubles or 10 Zlotych 1839-HГ (St. Petersburg). D-284, S-3308, GM-290. Mintage 7,006. Choice Proof. Minor cloudiness in reverse field. Extremely rare, appearing less frequently than the one ruble piece.
2. Ruble 1839-HГ (СПБ), D-283, S-3305, GM-291. Mintage 35,707. Choice Toned Proof with a few light hairlines. The rarest date regular issue ruble of the entire Imperial Russian series.

3. **¾ Ruble or 5 Zlotych 1839-НГ (St. Petersburg).** H-329, S-3300, GM-292. Reported mitnage of 2 pieces. Choice toned Proof with a few faint hairlines. The mintage figure does not include proofs as they were excluded from annual mintage reports. Our research of all major Russian sales in this century located only two circulated specimens plus five proofs, some of which may have been duplicate listings. In thirty years of collecting Mr. Goodman has not sighted another specimen except the other piece which appears later in this sale. It is believed that any other surviving specimens are impounded in museums.
4. **25 Kopecks 1839-НГ (СПБ).** H-322, S-3285, GM-294. **Choice Proof**, slightly uneven toning on the reverse.
5. **20 Kopecks 1839-НГ (СПБ).** H-319, S-3285, GM-295. **Proof**, with a small lint mark in the field and some cloudiness on the reverse.
6. **15 Kopecks or 1 Zloty 1839-НГ (St. Petersburg).** H-315, S-3281, GM-296. **Proof**, with some cloudiness and a small lint mark on the reverse.
7. **10 Kopecks 1839-НГ (СПБ).** H-313, S-3279, GM-297. **Proof**, with light cloudiness at the rim.
8. **5 Kopecks 1839-НГ (СПБ).** H-310, S-3274, GM-298. Only 1,002 pieces struck. **Choice brilliant Proof**. Extremely rare date.

Also included in the presentation set:

9. **Ruble 1834.** D-285, S-3061, GM-156. **Alexander I Monument commemorative.** **Proof**, with cloudiness in legends and some hairlines (particularly on the reverse).

Note: The 1834 commemorative ruble was not actually struck until 1836. It is highly probable that the proof dies were still in use in 1839 for striking presentation pieces when these sets were issued.

10. **Medal 1815** (dies actually prepared in 1837). Bronze, 65.2 mm, by A. Lialin from an original design by count Tolstoy. Bramsen-1971, Smirnos-390. Commemorating the European Peace. Bust of Alexander I in ancient style armor with shield, facing to the left. Rev. Allegory of Russia surrounded by trophies of war. **About Uncirculated** with partially etched surfaces.

This was the final piece of a series of 20 medals portraying the Russian war against Napoleon, all of which were designed by Count Feodor Tolstoy.

The presentation box is rectangular, 151 x 175 mm, with truncated corners. Its surface is gilt brown imitation leather with an embossed lid impressed "Souvenir de St. Petersburg." The interior is crushed brown velvet with insets for 11 pieces. The lid is slightly loose, but the box is in generally good condition and very attractive.

Russian proof sets of this era are extremely rare, the 1839 set excessively so. Here is the listing of 1839 Proof sets which have appeared in this century:

1. Georg von Gloy Collection, Sally Rosenberg Auction, Frankfurt, October 1907. complete with 9 pieces.
2. G.G. Blank Collection, Kopilov Auction, St. Petersburg, (no date 1907 or 1908). 8 pieces, missing only the poltina as the Goodman set (perhaps the same set).
3. Count J.J. Tolstoy Collection, A. Hess Auction, Frankfurt, March 1913. 8 pieces, missing the ruble.
4. Hermitage Duplicate Sale, A. Hess Auction, Frankfurt, February 1931. Only 3 denominations offered: 1½ ruble, ¾ ruble and 5 kopecks.
5. The Irving Goodman Collection, the present offering. 8 pieces, missing the poltina. This set was acquired by Mr. Goodman from Richard Margolis by private treaty in the 1960's. It had previously been in the possession of a woman in Hamburg, Germany.

Proof set in box, 9 coins and 1 medal.

This important numismatic treasure, produced by imperial order for presentation to royalty and visiting dignitaries, is indeed one of the most important items in the Irving Goodman Collection of Russian Coinage. We feel its actual value is well over its conservative estimate (\$30,000—UP)



- 920 **Ruble, 1839-НГ (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3305. **Brilliant Prooflike Uncirculated or Possible Proof** (\$7000-9000)
The rarest date Russian ruble, found only in the greatest collections. An extremely fine in World Wide's Auction XVI, Nov 1989 sold for \$6000.



- 922 **1½ Rubles, 1839.** Dav-287; Sev-3306. Borodino Monument commemorative. Long ray variety. Moderate handling. Very Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$1200-1500)



- 921 **1½ Rubles, 1839.** Dav-287; Sev-3307. Borodino Monument commemorative. Short ray variety. Very Rare. **Choice Extremely Fine.** (\$1500-1750)



- 923 **Ruble, 1839.** Dav-288; Sev-3303. Borodino Monument commemorative. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$300-350)



924 Ruble, 1839. Dav-288; Sev-3303. Borodino Monument commemorative. Extremely Fine (\$250-300)



925 Ruble, 1839. Dav-288; Sev-3303. Borodino Monument commemorative. Extremely Fine (\$250-300)

926 Ruble, 1839. Dav-288; Sev-3303. Borodino Monument commemorative. Scratches on face. Very Fine to Extremely Fine. (\$150-200)



927 Novodel Ruble, 1840-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3340. Extremely Rare novodel struck with obverse die type of previous years. With light handling. The first we have encountered. Proof (\$1000-1500)



928 Ruble, 1840-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3338. Struck from crude dies. Lustrous. Uncirculated (\$125-150)



929 Ruble, 1841-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3363. Fully lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)



930 Ruble, 1841-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3364. Lustrous. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$65-85)



931 Ruble, 1841-НГ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3363. Toned. Extremely Fine. (\$50-65)



932 Marriage Ruble, 1841-НГ (СПБ). Dav-288a; Sev-3370. Reeded edge. Commemorating the wedding of Czarevitch Alexander to Maria Alexandrovna of Hesse-Darmstadt. Toned. Rare. Choice Extremely Fine (\$700-900)



- 933 **Marriage Ruble, 1841-HG (СПБ).** Dav-288a; Sev-3370. Reeded edge. Commemorating the wedding of Czarevitch Alexander to Maria Alexandrovna of Hesse-Darmstadt. Edge slightly weak. Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$600-800)



- 934 **Medallic Marriage Ruble, 1841.** as Dav-288a; Sev-3373. Plain edge. By H. Gube. No mint or assayers letters. Tiny rim nicks. Rare. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$400-500)



- 935 **Medallic Marriage Ruble, 1841.** as Dav-288a; Sev-3373. Plain edge. By H. Gube. No mint or assayer letters. Minor rim nicks. Rare. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$400-500)
- 936 **Ruble, 1842-AЧ (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3399. over-assayer АЧ over НГ. Lustrous. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$150-175)
- 937 **Ruble, 1842-AЧ (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3402. Lightly polished on reverse. **About Uncirculated** (\$65-85)
- 938 **Ruble, 1842-AЧ over НГ (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3399. Toned. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-65)
- 939 **Ruble, 1843-AЧ (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3429. **Choice Uncirculated.** (\$150-175)
- 940 **Ruble, 1843-AЧ (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3429. Lightly cleaned. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-60)



- 941 **Ruble, 1844-KB (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3457. Toned with minimal hairlines. **Choice Proof** (\$1000-1250)



- 942 **Ruble, 1844-MW (Warsaw).** Dav-283; Sev-3466. **Uncirculated.** (\$200-250)
- 943 **Ruble, 1844-KB (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3457. Moderate handling. Prooflike. **About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
- 944 **Ruble, 1844-KB (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3457. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated** (\$50-60)
- 945 **Ruble, 1844-KB (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3458. **About Uncirculated.** (\$65-85)



- 946 **Pattern Ruble, 1845.** Tolstoi Col. 2014; GM-plate 51, no.17. Copper, 35.6 mm. Coin press trial in size of silver ruble by Thonnelier of Paris. Very Rare. **About Extremely Fine** (\$500-600)
- 947 **Ruble, 1845-KB (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3479. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 948 **Ruble, 1846-ПА (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3505. Brilliant with light handling. **Uncirculated** (\$125-150)
- 949 **Ruble, 1846-ПА (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3505. Lustrous. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-60)
- 950 **Ruble, 1846-MW (Warsaw).** Dav-283; Sev-3507. Scarce. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)



- 951 **Ruble, 1847-ПА (СПБ).** Dav-283; Sev-3522. Prooflike with deep toning. Probably a proof striking. **About Uncirculated** . . (\$250-UP)

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- 952 Ruble, 1847-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3522. Choice About Uncirculated (\$75-100)
- 953 Ruble, 1847-MW (Warsaw). Dav-283; Sev-3528. With superb surfaces. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$100-125)
- 954 Ruble, 1848-НІ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3543. Choice About Uncirculated (\$75-100)
- 955 Ruble, 1848-НІ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3543. Toned. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)
- 956 Ruble, 1848-НІ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3540. Prooflike. Choice About Uncirculated (\$75-100)



- 957 Ruble, 1849-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3557. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated (\$200-250)



- 958 Ruble, 1849-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3557. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated (\$200-250)
- 959 Ruble, 1849-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3556. Prooflike. Uncirculated. (\$175-200)
- 960 Ruble, 1849-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3557. Prooflike. Uncirculated. (\$125-150)
- 961 Ruble, 1849-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3556. Field marks. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
- 962 Ruble, 1849-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3556. Tiny rim nick. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
- 963 Ruble, 1850-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3572. Prooflike with light handling. About Uncirculated to Uncirculated (\$75-100)
- 964 Ruble, 1850-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3572. Rim nick. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
- 965 Ruble, 1851-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3585. Choice About Uncirculated (\$100-125)
- 966 Ruble, 1851-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3585. Light field marks. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
- 967 Ruble, 1852-НІ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3601. Cleaned. Rare assayer. About Uncirculated (\$125-150)
- 968 Ruble, 1852-НІ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3601. Rare assayer for this date. Extremely Fine (\$125-150)
- 969 Ruble, 1852-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3598. Contact marks hidden under toning. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)
- 970 Ruble, 1852-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3598. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$70-90)

- 971 Ruble, 1852-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3598. Prooflike. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)

- 972 Ruble, 1852-ПА (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3599. Field marks. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)



- 973 Ruble, 1853-НІ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3612. Brilliant with light handling. Proof (\$700-900)

- 974 Ruble, 1853-НІ (СПБ). Dav-293; Sev-3613. Prooflike. Choice About Uncirculated (\$125-150)

- 975 Ruble, 1853-НІ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3613. Toned. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)

- 976 Ruble, 1853-НІ (СПБ). Dav-293; Sev-3613. Prooflike. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-75)

- 977 Ruble, 1854-НІ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3625. Seven bud variety. Lightly toned. Uncirculated (\$175-200)

- 978 Ruble, 1854-НІ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3625. Light handling. Uncirculated (\$125-150)



- 979 Poltina, 1826-НГ (СПБ). H-326; Sev-2894. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$225-275)



- 980 Poltina, 1828-НГ (СПБ). H-326; Sev-2919. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$225-275)



- 981 Poltina, 1829-НГ (СПБ). H-326; Sev-2930. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$200-250)



- 982 Poltina, 1829-НГ (СПБ). H-326; Sev-2931. Lustrous. About Uncirculated (\$200-250)



- 983 Poltina, 1830-НГ (СПБ). H-326; Sev-2954. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$225-275)



- 984 Poltina, 1831 1 over 0-НГ (СПБ). H-326; Sev-2976. Prooflike and toned. About Uncirculated (\$225-275)

- 985 Poltina, 1832-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3000. Prooflike with moderate handling. About Uncirculated (\$125-150)

- 986 Poltina, 1832-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3000. Toned. Extremely Fine. (\$50-75)



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- 987 Poltina, 1833-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3021. Deeply toned. Rare. Proof. (\$400-500)



- 988 Poltina, 1835-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3095. Only 20,008 pieces struck. Fully prooflike with light contact marks. Very Rare date. Brilliant Uncirculated (\$400-500)



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- 989 Poltina, 1835-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3094. Toned. Rare date. Choice Uncirculated (\$300-350)



- 990 Poltina, 1836-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3143. Toned. Choice Uncirculated (\$200-250)

- 991 Poltina, 1837-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3214. Choice About Uncirculated (\$125-150)

- 992 Poltina, 1837-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3214. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$75-100)

- 993 Poltina, 1839-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3296. Common date but scarce in high grade. Toned. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)

- 994 Poltina, 1839-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3296. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$50-75)

- 995 Poltina, 1839 9 over 7-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3296. Bold overdate. Very Fine to Extremely Fine (\$40-50)

- 996 Poltina, 1841-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3355. Edge flaw. Rare date. Very Good (\$75-UP)

- 997 Poltina, 1843-MW (Warsaw). H-328; Sev-3419. Very scarce date Warsaw issue. Fine to Very Fine (\$50-75)

- 998 Poltina, 1844-КБ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3449. Lightly cleaned. Prooflike. Uncirculated (\$125-150)

- 999 Poltina, 1844-КБ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3449. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$50-75)

- 1000 Poltina, 1844-MW (Warsaw). H-327; Sev-3454. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-75)



- 1001 Poltina, 1845-КБ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3477. Lightly cleaned on reverse. Rare. Proof (\$200-250)



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- 1002 Poltina, 1845-КБ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3477. Prooflike, toned. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)

1003	Poltina, 1845-КБ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3477. About Uncirculated. (\$75-100)
1004	Poltina, 1845-КБ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3477. Extremely Fine (\$50-65)
1005	Poltina, 1846-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3495. A few field marks. Brilliant Uncirculated (\$125-150)
1006	Poltina, 1846-MW (Warsaw). H-328; Sev-3497. Trace of cleaning. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)
1007	Poltina, 1847-MW (Warsaw). H-328; Sev-3521. Rare grade for Warsaw. Choice Extremely Fine (\$100-125)
1008	Poltina, 1848-НІ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3539. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated (\$125-150)
1009	Poltina, 1848-НІ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3539. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)
1010	Poltina, 1848-НІ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3539. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$50-65)
1011	Poltina, 1849-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3554. Minor rim nick. Uncirculated (\$75-100)
1012	Poltina, 1849-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3554. Tiny rim flaw. Uncirculated (\$75-100)
1013	Poltina, 1849-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3554. Toned. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
1014	Poltina, 1850-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3568. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)
1015	Poltina, 1850-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3568. Prooflike. Extremely Fine. (\$50-75)
1016	Poltina, 1850-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3568. Toned. Extremely Fine. (\$50-65)
1017	Poltina, 1851-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3582. Toned. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)
1018	Poltina, 1851-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3582. Tiny rim nicks. Uncirculated (\$50-75)
1019	Poltina, 1851-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3582. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
1020	Poltina, 1851-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3582. About Uncirculated. (\$50-75)
1021	Poltina, 1852-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3596. Tiny rim nick. Uncirculated (\$75-100)
1022	Poltina, 1852-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3596. Moderate handling. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
1023	Poltina, 1852-ПА (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3596. Rim nick. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
1024	Poltina, 1853-НІ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3611. Extremely Fine (\$50-65)
1025	Poltina, 1853-НІ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3611. Harshly hairlined. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$40-50)
1026	Poltina, 1854-НІ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-3623. Prooflike with some hairlines. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
1027	Poltina, 1854-MW (Warsaw). H-328; Sev-3621. Scarce Warsaw issue. Choice Very Fine (\$50-75)
1028	25 Kopecks, 1827-НГ (СПБ). H-321; Sev-2902. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$75-100)
1029	25 Kopecks, 1827-НГ and 1830-НГ. H-321. Overdate 1830 over 29. Choice Very Fine. Lot of 2 coins. (\$50-75)
1030	25 Kopecks, 1829-НГ (СПБ). H-321; Sev-2927. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-75)
1031	25 Kopecks, 1830-НГ (СПБ). H-327; Sev-2953. Deeply toned. About Uncirculated (\$100-125)
1032	25 Kopecks, 1831-НГ (СПБ). H-321; Sev-2975. Toned. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)



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1033	25 Kopecks, 1832-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-2998. Light hairlines, toned. Rare. Proof (\$200-250)
1034	25 Kopecks, 1832-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-2998. Toned. Scarce. Uncirculated (\$100-125)
1035	25 Kopecks, 1832-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-2998. Toned. Scarce. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-65)

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1036	25 Kopecks, 1833-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3020. Prooflike. Scarce. About Uncirculated (\$100-125)
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1037	25 Kopecks, 1833-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3020. Scarce. Choice Extremely Fine (\$75-100)
1038	25 Kopecks, 1836-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3134. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-75)
1039	25 Kopecks, 1836-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3136. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-75)
1040	25 Kopecks, 1837-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3204. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
1041	25 Kopecks, 1838-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3260. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-60)



1042	25 Kopecks, 1839-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3289. Lightly hairlined. Rare. Proof (\$200-250)
1043	25 Kopecks, 1839-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3288. Cleaned. Rare. Proof (\$125-150)
1044	25 Kopecks, 1841-НГ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3320. Rare date. Nice. Fine. (\$50-75)
1045	25 Kopecks, 1847-ПА (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3514. Light field marks. Uncirculated (\$50-75)
1046	25 Kopecks, 1847-ПА (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3514. Light edge marks. Uncirculated (\$50-75)
1047	25 Kopecks, 1847-ПА (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3514. Tiny rim nicks. Uncirculated (\$40-50)
1048	25 Kopecks, 1847-ПА (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3514. Tiny edge nick. Uncirculated. Lot of 2 coins (\$80-100)
1049	25 Kopecks, 1848-НІ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3535. About Uncirculated. (\$40-50)



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- 1050 25 Kopecks, 1849-ПА (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3553. Beautifully toned and prooflike. **Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
- 1051 25 Kopecks, 1849-ПА (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3552. Rare variety with nine eagle tail feathers. **Very Fine** (\$40-50)
- 1052 25 Kopecks, 1849-ПА (СПБ). Sev-3553. Cleaned. **Extremely Fine to Uncirculated**. Lot of 3 coins (\$75-100)



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- 1053 25 Kopecks, 1850-ПА (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3566. Light hairlines. **Brilliant Proof** (\$125-150)
- 1054 25 Kopecks, 1850-ПА (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3566. Toned, prooflike. **About Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1055 25 Kopecks, 1851-ПА (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3579. Prooflike. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 1056 25 Kopecks, 1852-НІ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3595. Very scarce assayer. Toned. **About Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1057 25 Kopecks, 1853-НІ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3607. Prooflike. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-60)
- 1058 25 Kopecks, 1853-НІ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3607. Toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1059 25 Kopecks, 1853-НІ (СПБ). H-322; Sev-3607. Toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1060 20 Kopecks, 1826-НГ (СПБ). H-318; Sev-2889. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$50-65)
- 1061 20 Kopecks, 1829-НГ (СПБ). H-318; Sev-2926. Toned. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)



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- 1062 20 Kopecks, 1829-НГ (СПБ). H-318; Sev-2926. Toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1063 20 Kopecks, 1830-НГ (СПБ). H-318; Sev-2948. Toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)



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- 1064 20 Kopecks, 1830-НГ (СПБ). H-318; Sev-2948. Toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1065 20 Kopecks, 1836-НГ (СПБ). H-319; Sev-3132. Toned. **Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated** (\$50-75)



- 1066 20 Kopecks, 1838-НГ (СПБ). H-319; Sev-3255. Beautifully toned. **Proof** (\$200-250)
- 1067 20 Kopecks, 1839-НГ (СПБ). H-319; Sev-3286. Lustrous. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
- 1068 10 Kopecks, 1826-НГ (СПБ). H-311; Sev-2878. First type eagle with wings up. Very scarce. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)
- 1069 10 Kopecks, 1826-НГ (СПБ). H-311; Sev-2878. Scratch. **Extremely Fine** (\$40-50)
- 1070 10 Kopecks, 1828-НГ (СПБ). H-312; Sev-2913. Toned. Very scarce date. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1071 10 Kopecks, 1836-НГ (СПБ). H-313; Sev-3117. Prooflike. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$50-60)
- 1072 10 Kopecks, 1839-НГ (СПБ). H-313; Sev-3279. Prooflike. **Uncirculated** (\$50-60)
- 1073 10 Kopecks, 1849-ПА (СПБ). H-313; Sev-3545. **Choice Uncirculated**. (\$40-50)
- 1074 10 Kopecks, 1851-ПА (СПБ). H-313; Sev-3576. **Choice Proof**. (\$100-125)
- 1075 5 Kopecks, 1830-НГ (СПБ). H-309; Sev-2943. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1076 5 Kopecks, 1830-НГ (СПБ). H-309; Sev-2943. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1077 5 Kopecks, 1831-НГ (СПБ). H-309; Sev-2969. **About Uncirculated**. (\$40-50)
- 1078 5 Kopecks, 1832-НГ (СПБ). H-310; Sev-2986. Toned. **Uncirculated**. (\$40-50)
- 1079 5 Kopecks, 1833-НГ (СПБ). H-310; Sev-3005. Toned. **Uncirculated**. (\$40-50)



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- 1080 Novodel 5 Kopecks, 1833 (СМ). H-301; B-247A. Prooflike with uneven tone. **About Uncirculated** (\$175-200)



- 1081 Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1830 (СПБ). H-281; B-Unlisted but as no. 143. Novodel striking of the rare pattern. Edge flaw. **About Uncirculated**. (\$175-200)



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- 1082 **Novodel 2 Kopecks, 1833 (CM).** H-282; B-149A. Prooflike. **About Uncirculated** (\$150-175)



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- 1083 **Novodel 1 Kopeck, 1833 (CM).** H-269; B-85A. **About Uncirculated.** (\$100-125)
- 1084 **Coronation Medal, 1826.** Reichel-3450 (AR). Bronze, 64.5 mm, by V.Alexiev. Nicholas I, bust right. Reverse: Crowned column under eye of God. **Extremely Fine** (\$100-125)
- 1085 **Medal, 1839.** Forrer-V,p.401. Silver, 41.6 mm. by J.P. Schouberg. Visit of Nicholas I to Zandam, Holland to see the preserved house where Peter the Great lived in 1697 when learning shipbuilding. Prooflike with rim nick. **Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)
- 1086 Lot of Rubles: **1827, 1828, 1829, 1830, 1831.** Dav-282. Minor handling. **Fine to Choice Very Fine.** Lot of 5 coins (\$150-200)
- 1087 Lot of Rubles: **1828, 1829, 1830, 1831.** Dav-282. **Fine to Very Fine.** Lot of 4 coins (\$125-150)
- 1088 Lot of Rubles: **1828 (2 pieces), 1829 (5 pieces), 1830 (4 pieces), 1831 (2 pieces).** Dav-282. Some with handling marks. **Averages Fine.** Lot of 13 coins (\$250-300)
- 1089 Lot of Rubles: **1832, 1833, 1835, 1836, 1837.** Dav-283. **Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 5 coins (\$150-175)
- 1090 Lot of Rubles: **1836, 1837, 1838, 1840, 1841, 1842, 1843, 1844, 1845.** Dav-283. With some marks. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 9 coins (\$250-300)
- 1091 Lot of Rubles: **1836, 1840, 1841, 1842, 1843, 1844, 1845.** Dav-283. Some with marks. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 7 coins. (\$225-275)
- 1092 Lot of Rubles: **1840, 1841, 1842, 1843, 1846, 1847, 1848, 1851, 1852, 1854.** Dav-283. Some with marks. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 11 coins (\$250-300)
- 1093 Lot of Rubles: **1840, 1841, 1842, 1843, 1844, 1846, 1847, 1848, 1849.** Dav-283. A few pieces with some marks. **Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 9 coins (\$200-250)
- 1094 Lot of Rubles: **1841 (2 pieces), 1842 (3 pieces), 1843 (2 pieces), 1846, 1847, 1848 (2 pieces), 1849, 1850 (2 pieces), 1851 (2 pieces), 1854 (2 pieces).** Dav-283. Some with nicks or handling marks. **Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 18 coins (\$350-400)
- 1095 Lot of Rubles: **1843, 1844, 1845, 1846, 1847 all (MW).** Dav-283. A couple with some marks. **Averages Very Fine.** Lot of 5 coins (\$125-175)
- 1096 Lot of Rubles: **1844 (3 pieces), 1846(2 pieces), 1847.** All (MW). Dav-283. One piece damaged. **Averages Very Fine.** Lot of 6 coins. (\$100-125)
- 1097 Lot of Rubles: **1850, 1851, 1852, 1854.** Dav-283. A few marks. **Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 4 coins (\$100-125)
- 1098 Lot of Poltina's: **1826, 1830, 1839 (3 pieces), 1845, 1846 (2 pieces), 1847 (2 pieces), 1848 (3 pieces), 1850, 1851 (2 pieces).** H-327. Some with handling marks. **Fine to Very Fine.** Lot of 16 coins (\$200-250)
- 1099 Lot of Poltina's: **1832, 1833, 1840, 1842, 1844, 1845, 1848, 1851, 1853.** H-327. A couple with field marks. **Fine to Extremely Fine.** (\$200-250)

- 1100 Lot of Poltina's: **1840, 1844, 1848, 1853, 1854.** H-327. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 5 coins (\$125-150)
- 1101 Lot of 25 Kopecks: **1827, 1830, 1831, 1832, 1837, 1838, 1839, 1840, 1845, 1847, 1848, 1849, 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853, 1854.** Some with marks, scratches or edge nicks. A couple were mounted. **Fine to Very Fine.** Lot of 17 coins (\$150-200)
- 1102 Lot of 25 Kopecks: **1832, 1837, 1838, 1839, 1846, 1847, 1848.** H-322. Nice lot. **Choice Very Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 7 coins (\$175-200)
- 1103 Lot of 25 Kopecks: **1837, 1838, 1839, 1847 (2 pieces), 1848, 1849, 1850, 1852, 1853, 1854.** H-322. A few with edge nicks. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 11 coins (\$250-300)
- 1104 Lot of 25 Kopecks: **1839, 1847, 1849, 1850, 1851, 1854.** H-322. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 6 coins (\$150-175)
- 1105 Lot of 25 Kopecks: **1827, 1828, 1829, 1830, 1831.** H-321. A couple with edge marks. **Very Good to Very Fine.** Lot of 5 coins . (\$75-100)
- 1106 Lot of 25 Kopecks: **1839 (3 pieces), 1847, 1848 (2 pieces), 1849 (2 pieces), 1850 (3 pieces), 1853 (2 pieces).** H-322. **Averages Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 13 coins (\$200-250)
- 1107 Lot of 20 Kopecks: **1829, 1830, 1836 (2 pieces), 1850 (2 pieces), 1852, 1853, 1854.** H-319. **Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 9 coins. (\$100-125)
- 1108 **Lot of 20 Kopecks, 1826-1855.** H-318,319. **Good to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 15 coins (\$75-100)
- 1109 Lot of 10 Kopecks: **1826, 1827, 1830, 1832, 1839, 1845, 1847, 1848, 1849, 1850, 1851, 1853.** **Very Good to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 12 coins (\$75-100)
- 1110 Lot of 10 Kopecks: **1827, 1835, 1845, 1847, 1849.** H-312, 313. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 5 coins . . (\$125-150)
- 1111 Lot of 10 Kopecks: **1826 (3 pieces), 1827, 1830, 1836, 1839, 1845 (3 pieces), 1847 (2 pieces), 1849, 1851 (3 pieces).** H-312, 313. **Very Good to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 16 coins (\$75-125)
- 1112 Lot of silver 5 Kopecks: **1826, 1827, 1830, 1831.** H-309. **Extremely Fine.** Lot of 4 coins (\$100-150)
- 1113 Lot of silver 5 Kopecks: **1826, 1827, 1830, 1831.** H-309. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 4 coins (\$75-100)
- 1114 Lot of silver 5 Kopecks: **1826 (5 pieces), 1827 (4 pieces), 1830 (2 pieces), 1831 (2 pieces).** Some with handling marks. **Very Good to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 13 coins (\$150-200)
- 1115 Lot of silver 5 Kopecks: **1833, 1834, 1835, 1837, 1838, 1845, 1846, 1847, 1848, 1849, 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853, 1854.** H-310. A nice date run in high grade. **Extremely Fine to Choice About Uncirculated.** Lot of 15 coins (\$250-300)
- 1116 Lot of silver 5 Kopecks: **1844, 1845, 1847, 1849, 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853, 1854.** H-310. Nice lot in high grade. **Extremely Fine to Uncirculated.** Lot of 9 coins (\$150-175)
- 1117 Lot of silver 5 Kopecks: **1845 (4 pieces), 1847 (3 pieces), 1849 (5 pieces), 1850 (6 pieces), 1851 (8 pieces), 1852, 1853 (2 pieces).** **Very Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 29 coins (\$200-250)
- 1118 **Lot of Silver 5 Kopecks, 1826-1854.** **Good to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 29 coins (\$75-100)
- 1119 Miscellaneous lot of Copper minors: 10 Kopecks, 1832. B-278; 5 Kopecks, 1831. B-241; 5 Kopecks, 1834. B-249; 5 Kopecks, 1835. B-250; 1 Kopeck, 1842. B-114. **Averages Very Fine.** Lot of 5 coins. (\$75-125)
- 1120 **Service Medals for the Campaigns of 1853 through 1856.** 28 mm with loop. (2) copper and (2) Brass. **Averages Very Fine.** Lot of 4 medals (\$75-100)



ALEXANDER II, 1855-1881

The eldest son of Nicholas I, Alexander II came to the throne during Russia's humiliation in the Crimean War. This experience may have influenced him to become less involved with foreign political disputes. During his reign Alaska was sold to America, Prussia unified Germany and became an empire and the Balkans broke away from the Ottoman Empire.

Domestically he began a steady and successful policy of liberalization and reform. In 1861 the serfs were emancipated. Unfortunately, the new freedoms stimulated more dissent and social unrest. On March 13th 1881, the same day that he signed a law to effect moderate reforms directed to appease revolutionary agitators, Alexander was killed by an assassin's bomb.



- 1121 Ruble, 1855-HI (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3638. Minimal handling, Beautifully Toned. **Proof** (\$700-900)
- 1122 Ruble, 1855-HI (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3638. Prooflike with heavy handling. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
- 1123 Ruble, 1855-HI (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3631. Prooflike and toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)



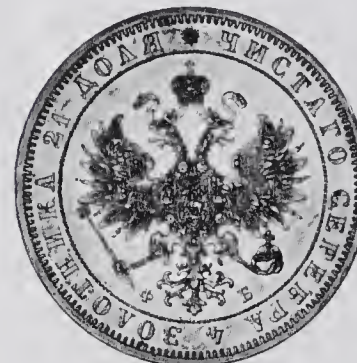
- 1124 Ruble, 1856-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3644. With hairlines and minor rim flaw. **Rare. Proof** (\$500-700)
- 1125 Ruble, 1856-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3644. Heavy handling. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1126 Ruble, 1856-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3644. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$40-50)



- 1127 Ruble, 1857-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3655. With light hairlines on reverse, beautifully toned. **Rare date. Proof** (\$1000-1250)
- 1128 Ruble, 1857-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3655. Toned. **Scarce. Extremely Fine** (\$150-200)
- 1129 Ruble, 1857-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3655. Hairlined, prooflike. **Extremely Fine** (\$150-175)
- 1130 Ruble, 1858-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3662. Heavy handling marks on reverse. **Scarce. About Uncirculated** (\$150-200)
- 1131 Ruble, 1858-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3662. Rim nick. **Scarce. Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)
- 1132 Ruble, 1858-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-283; Sev-3662. **Scarce. Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)



- 1133 Ruble, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3679. Light handling with brilliant surfaces. **Very Rare date. Uncirculated** (\$700-900)



- 1134 Ruble, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3679. Once cleaned, prooflike. **Very Rare date. About Uncirculated** (\$500-600)



- 1135 Ruble, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3679. **Very Rare. Extremely Fine** (\$400-500)



- 1136 Ruble, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3679. **Very Rare. Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$300-400)



- 1137 Ruble, 1859. Dav-290; Sev-3681. **Nicholas I Monument commemorative. Hairlined, Rare. Proof** (\$500-700)

- 1138 Ruble, 1859. Dav-290; Sev-3681. Nicholas I Monument commemorative. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$150-175)
- 1139 Ruble, 1859. Dav-290; Sev-3681. Nicholas I Monument commemorative. Harshly cleaned. **Very Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1140 Ruble, 1859. Dav-290; Sev-3681. Nicholas I Monument commemorative. **Fine** (\$50-75)



- 1141 Pattern Ruble, 1860-ФБ (СПБ). Sev-3706; GM-110; Julian-1145. With a few light hairlines and brilliant surfaces. **Proof** (\$3000-4000)
Extremely Rare pattern distinguishable from regular issue by heavier eagle and ornate dividing bar between value and date. The first we have handled.



- 1142 Ruble, 1860-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3692. Heavily toned. Very Rare date. **About Uncirculated** (\$500-600)



- 1143 Ruble, 1861-ФБ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3727. Toned. Very Rare date. **Extremely Fine** (\$300-350)



- 1144 Ruble, 1862-МИ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3735. Lustrous. Very Rare date. **About Uncirculated** (\$400-500)



- 1145 Ruble, 1863-АБ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3742. The second rarest regularly issued date ruble. Prooflike. **Choice About Uncirculated**. (\$1500-2000)



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- 1146 Ruble, 1864-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3751. Toned. Rare date. **Choice Proof** (\$1000-1500)



- 1147 Ruble, 1864-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3751. Hairlined. Rare. **About Uncirculated** (\$200-250)



- 1148 Ruble, 1865-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3758. Prooflike. Rare date. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)



- 1149 Ruble, 1865-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3758. Prooflike. Rare date. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)



- 1150 Ruble, 1865-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3758. Toned. Rare date. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-250)
- 1151 Ruble, 1866-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3772. Prooflike with scuffing and tiny rim nick. Scarce date. **About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
- 1152 Ruble, 1866-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3771. Scarce. **Extremely Fine**. (\$50-75)
- 1153 Ruble, 1867-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3779. Hairlined. Scarce. **About Uncirculated** (\$125-150)
- 1154 Ruble, 1867-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3779. **Choice Extremely Fine**. (\$75-100)



- 1155 Ruble, 1868-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3786. Brilliant with moderate handling marks. Scarce date. **Proof** (\$500-700)
- 1156 Ruble, 1868-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3786. Prooflike with light handling. **Uncirculated** (\$175-200)
- 1157 Ruble, 1868-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3786. Prooflike and lustrous. **About Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 1158 Ruble, 1868-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3786. Lightly toned, prooflike. **About Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 1159 Ruble, 1868-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3786. Toned and prooflike. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1160 Ruble, 1869-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3793. Light stain on reverse, toned. Scarce date. **About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
- 1161 Ruble, 1871-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3817. Light handling. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
- 1162 Ruble, 1871-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3817. Reverse stain. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
- 1163 Ruble, 1873-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3833. Toned and Scarce. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$75-100)
- 1164 Ruble, 1873-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3833. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1165 Ruble, 1874-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3841. Rim nick, toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
- 1166 Ruble, 1874-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3841. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1167 Ruble, 1875-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3849. Brilliant. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$175-200)
- 1168 Ruble, 1875-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3849. Light handling. **Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 1169 Ruble, 1875-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3849. Moderate field marks. **About Uncirculated** (\$65-85)
- 1170 Ruble, 1875-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3849. **Choice Extremely Fine**. (\$50-75)

- 1171 Ruble, 1875-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3849. Toned. **Extremely Fine**. (\$50-65)



- 1172 Ruble, 1876-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3860. Lightly toned with minor contact marks. Very Rare. **Proof** (\$500-700)
- 1173 Ruble, 1877-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3876. **Uncirculated** (\$125-150)
- 1174 Ruble, 1877-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3876. Toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1175 Ruble, 1877-НІ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3876. Stain on edge. **Extremely Fine** (\$40-50)
- 1176 Ruble, 1877-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3877. Three pieces are stained, one with rim nicks. Scarcer assayer. **All Very Fine**. Lot of 4 coins (\$60-80)
- 1177 Ruble, 1877-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3877. Three pieces showing stains and nicks. Scarcer assayer. **All Very Fine**. Lot of 4 coins (\$60-80)
- 1178 Ruble, 1878-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3889. Brilliant. **Uncirculated**. (\$100-125)
- 1179 Ruble, 1878-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3889. Uneven toning. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-65)
- 1180 Ruble, 1879-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3896. **About Uncirculated**. (\$70-90)
- 1181 Ruble, 1879-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3896. Tiny rim nick. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-65)
- 1182 Ruble, 1879-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3896. Heavy handling marks. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-60)
- 1183 Ruble, 1879-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3896. **Choice Extremely Fine**. (\$40-50)



- 1184 Ruble, 1880-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3903. Brilliant. Scarce date. **Uncirculated** (\$200-250)
- 1185 Ruble, 1880-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3903. Brilliant. Scarce date. **Uncirculated** (\$200-250)
- 1186 Ruble, 1880-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3903. Moderate field marks. Scarce date. **About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
- 1187 Ruble, 1881-НФ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3914. Scarce date. **About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
- 1188 Poltina, 1855-НІ (СПБ). Н-399; Sev-3637. Prooflike and toned. **Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 1189 Poltina, 1855-НІ (СПБ). Н-399; Sev-3637. Light handling. **Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 1190 Poltina, 1855-НІ (СПБ). Н-399; Sev-3637. Light handling and toned. **Uncirculated** (\$100-125)

- 1191 Poltina, 1855-НІ (СПБ). Н-399; Sev-3637. Light handling. Uncirculated (\$75-100)
- 1192 Poltina, 1855-НІ (СПБ). Н-399; Sev-3637. Prooflike with heavy handling. Uncirculated (\$75-100)



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- 1193 Poltina, 1856-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Sev-3643. Beautifully toned. Choice Proof (\$400-500)
- 1194 Poltina, 1856-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Sev-3643. Uncirculated . . (\$75-100)
- 1195 Poltina, 1856-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Sev-3643. Prooflike with a few contact marks. Uncirculated (\$75-100)
- 1196 Poltina, 1857-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Sev-3652. Light hairlines with prooflike surfaces. Uncirculated (\$75-100)
- 1197 Poltina, 1857-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Sev-3654. Light contact marks. Uncirculated (\$70-90)
- 1198 Poltina, 1857-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Sev-3652. With a few light rim marks. Uncirculated (\$70-90)
- 1199 Poltina, 1857-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Н-399; Sev-3652. Toned. Choice About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
- 1200 Poltina, 1858-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Sev-3661. Uncirculated . . (\$75-100)
- 1201 Poltina, 1858-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Sev-3661. Prooflike with a few hairlines on reverse. Uncirculated (\$70-90)
- 1202 Poltina, 1858-ФБ (СПБ). Y-17; Sev-3661. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$50-75)
- 1203 Poltina, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3678. Small crown. Prooflike. Uncirculated (\$75-100)
- 1204 Poltina, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3678. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$60-80)
- 1205 Poltina, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3678. Toned. About Uncirculated. (\$50-75)
- 1206 Poltina, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3678. Prooflike with a few contact marks. About Uncirculated (\$50-60)
- 1207 Poltina, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3678. Rim nick, Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$50-60)
- 1208 Poltina, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3678. Prooflike. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-60)
- 1209 Poltina, 1859-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3678. Prooflike. Choice Extremely Fine (\$50-60)
- 1210 Poltina, 1860-ФБ (СПБ). Н-399; Sev-3691. Prooflike. Choice About Uncirculated (\$65-85)
- 1211 Poltina, 1860-ФБ (СПБ). Н-399; Sev-3691. Minor rim nick. Prooflike and toned. About Uncirculated (\$50-60)
- 1212 Poltina, 1860-ФБ (СПБ). Н-399; Sev-3691. Extremely Fine (\$40-50)
- 1213 Poltina, 1861-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3725. Prooflike, hairlined reverse. Scarce. About Uncirculated (\$175-200)
- 1214 Poltina, 1861-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3725. Minor rim nick. Scarce. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$125-150)
- 1215 Poltina, 1861-ФБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3725. Minor rim nicks. Scarce. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$125-150)
- 1216 Poltina, 1862-МІ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3734. Toned. Very Scarce. Choice Extremely Fine (\$175-225)
- 1217 Poltina, 1862-МІ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3734. Very Scarce. Extremely Fine (\$150-200)

- 1218 Poltina, 1863-АБ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3741. Obverse scratch. Very scarce date. Very Fine (\$50-75)



- 1219 Poltina, 1864-НФ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3750. Brilliant surfaces with reverse hairlines from cleaning. Rare. Proof (\$300-400)
- 1220 Poltina, 1864-НФ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3750. Lustrous. Scarce. About Uncirculated (\$150-200)
- 1221 Poltina, 1865-НФ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3757. Toned. Rare. Choice Very Fine (\$75-100)



- 1222 Poltina, 1866-НІ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3770. Prooflike with heavy scuffing on reverse. Rare assayer of very scarce date. About Uncirculated (\$250-300)



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- 1223 Poltina, 1866-НФ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3769. Prooflike and beautifully toned. Very Scarce. About Uncirculated (\$225-275)
- 1224 Poltina, 1866-НФ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3769. Toned, Very Scarce. Extremely Fine (\$150-200)
- 1225 Poltina, 1866-НФ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3769. Very Scarce. Extremely Fine (\$150-200)
- 1226 Poltina, 1867-НІ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3778. Prooflike with heavily hairlined reverse. Scarce date. About Uncirculated (\$125-150)
- 1227 Poltina, 1867-НІ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3778. Cleaned. Scarce date. Extremely Fine (\$75-100)



- 1228 Poltina, 1868-НІ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3785. Fully prooflike with moderate scuffing and rim marks. Brilliant Uncirculated (\$500-600) Extremely rare date, much more elusive than indicated by its small mintage of 30,000 pieces. Only the second specimen we have encountered.
- 1229 Poltina, 1869-НІ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3792. Toned. Rare date. About Extremely Fine (\$75-100)
- 1230 Poltina, 1870-НІ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3803. Mintage of only 6,000 pieces. Scratch in field. Rare date. About Uncirculated . (\$150-200)

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- 1231 Poltina, 1870-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3803. Mintage of only 6,000 pieces. Rare date. **Extremely Fine** (\$150-200)
- 1232 Poltina, 1871-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3816. Scuffed in fields and with prooflike surfaces. Very scarce. **About Uncirculated** (\$150-200)
- 1233 Poltina, 1871-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3816. Cleaned. Very Scarce. **About Uncirculated** (\$125-150)
- 1234 Poltina, 1871-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3816. Rim nick. Very Scarce. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)



- 1235 Poltina, 1872-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3824. Rare date, mintage of only 22,000 pieces. Attractively toned with hairlined reverse. **Proof**. (\$400-500)



- 1236 Poltina, 1872-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3824. Toned. **Uncirculated**. (\$250-300)
- 1237 Poltina, 1872-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3824. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated**. (\$175-200)
- 1238 Poltina, 1872-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3824. Tiny rim marks. **Extremely Fine** (\$100-125)
- 1239 Poltina, 1872-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3824. Tiny rim nicks. **Very Fine**. (\$50-75)



- 1240 Poltina, 1873-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3832. Very scarce date. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$200-250)
- 1241 Poltina, 1873-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3832. **Extremely Fine** (\$100-125)
- 1242 Poltina, 1873-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3832. **About Extremely Fine**. (\$75-100)
- 1243 Poltina, 1873-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3832. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**. (\$50-75)
- 1244 Poltina, 1874-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3839. Mintage of only 16,000 pieces. Very scarce. **Choice Very Fine** (\$75-100)
- 1245 Poltina, 1874-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3839. Mintage of only 16,000 pieces. Very Scarce. **Very Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1246 Poltina, 1875-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3848. Mintage of only 14,000 pieces. Prooflike, reverse cleaned. Very scarce date. **About Uncirculated** (\$175-225.)

- 1247 Poltina, 1875-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3848. Rim bump, prooflike obverse. **Very Fine** (\$75-100)
- 1248 Poltina, 1876-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3858. Mintage of 24,000 pieces. Light scratches on reverse. Very scarce. **Extremely Fine** . . (\$75-100)
- 1249 Poltina, 1876-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3858. **Fine to Very Fine** (\$40-50)
- 1250 Poltina, 1877-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3874. Light contact marks. **Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
- 1251 Poltina, 1877-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3874. Toned. **About Uncirculated**. (\$50-65)
- 1252 Poltina, 1877-II (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3874. Field marks. **About Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1253 Poltina, 1880-НФ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3902. Beautifully toned with a few contact marks on reverse. Scarce date. **About Uncirculated**. (\$125-150)
- 1254 Poltina, 1880-НФ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3902. **Choice Extremely Fine**. (\$75-100)
- 1255 Poltina, 1880-НФ (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3902. **Choice Extremely Fine**. (\$75-100)
- 1256 25 Kopecks, 1855-II (СПБ). H-396; Sev-3636. Prooflike. **Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
- 1257 25 Kopecks, 1855-II (СПБ). H-396; Sev-3636. Toned. **Uncirculated**. (\$50-65)
- 1258 25 Kopecks, 1855-II (СПБ). H-396; Sev-3636. Toned. **Uncirculated**. (\$50-65)
- 1259 25 Kopecks, 1860-ФБ (СПБ). H-396; Sev-3689. Prooflike, toned. **Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1260 25 Kopecks, 1865-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3756. Toned. Very scarce date. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
- 1261 25 Kopecks, 1866-II (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3770. Prooflike. Scarce date. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$175-200)
- 1262 25 Kopecks, 1870-II (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3802. **Choice Extremely Fine**. (\$50-60)
- 1263 25 Kopecks, 1871-II (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3815. Toned. Scarce. **Uncirculated** (\$125-150)
- 1264 25 Kopecks, 1871-II (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3815. Toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
- 1265 25 Kopecks, 1872-II (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3823. Rim bump. Scarce. **Extremely Fine** (\$40-50)
- 1266 25 Kopecks, 1873-II (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3830. Scarce. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$50-75)
- 1267 25 Kopecks, 1874-II (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3838. Prooflike and scarce. **About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
- 1268 25 Kopecks, 1874-II (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3838. Rim nick. Scarce. **Extremely Fine** (\$40-50)
- 1269 25 Kopecks, 1875-II (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3846. Toned and scarce. **About Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 1270 25 Kopecks, 1877-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3871. Prooflike. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1271 25 Kopecks, 1878-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3887. Rare variety with "¼" in legend turned 90 degrees. Brilliant. **Choice Uncirculated**. (\$100-125)
- 1272 25 Kopecks, 1878-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3887. Rare variety with "¼" in legend turned 90 degrees. Reverse field scrape. **Uncirculated**. (\$75-100)
- 1273 25 Kopecks, 1878-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3887. Variety with "¼" in legend turned 90 degrees. Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$40-50)
- 1274 25 Kopecks, 1879-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3894. Scarce. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$65-85)

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- 1275 25 Kopecks, 1879-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3894. Scarce. **Extremely Fine** (\$50-65)
- 1276 25 Kopecks, 1880-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3901. Toned. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 1277 25 Kopecks, 1880-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3901. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$75-100)
- 1278 25 Kopecks, 1880-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3901. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$75-100)
- 1279 20 Kopecks, 1857-ФБ (СПБ). H-393; Sev-3647. Brilliant and prooflike. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1280 10 Kopecks, 1860-ФБ (СПБ). H-391; Sev-3695. Prooflike. **Uncirculated** (\$40-50)



- 1281 **Pattern 10 Kopecks, 1871 (Brussels)**. B-4; Sev-3808a. Copper-nickel. 25.3 mm. 6.98 grams. Bust of Alexander I right. Reverse: Value in straight line within wreath. Prooflike. **Uncirculated** (\$250-300)



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- 1282 **Pattern 10 Kopecks, 1871 (Brussels)**. 8-4; Sev-3808a. Copper-nickel. 25.3 mm. 6.98 grams. Bust of Alexander I right. Reverse: Value in straight line within wreath. Lacquered. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$200-250)
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- 1283 **Pattern 10 Kopecks, 1871 (Brussels)**. 8-2; Sev-38088. Copper-nickel. 25.3 mm. 7.01 grams. Bust of Alexander I right. Reverse: Value in curved line within wreath. Lightly toned. **Uncirculated** (\$300-350)



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- 1284 5 Kopecks, 1858 (EM). 8-216; Y-6. First type eagle. With light contact marks. Rare. **Proof** (\$300-400)
- 1285 5 Kopecks, 1867 (СПБ). Y-12; 8-230. Later striking. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$125-150)
- 1286 5 Kopecks, 1868-(СПБ). Y-12; 8-232. Light toning, prooflike. **Uncirculated** (\$50-60)

- 1287 5 Kopecks, 1870 (EM). Y-12; B-235. Once lightly cleaned. **Proof**.
..... (\$100-125)
- 1288 5 Kopecks, 1873 (EM). Y-12; B-240. **Proof** (\$125-150)
- 1289 5 Kopecks, 1874-НІ (СПБ). Y-19; Sev-3834. Toned. Scarce. **Uncirculated** (\$30-40)
- 1290 5 Kopecks, 1875 (EM). Y-12; B-241. Light handling. **Proof** (\$75-100)
- 1291 5 Kopecks, 1879 (СПБ). Y-12; B-247. Toned. **Proof** (\$125-150)
- 1292 5 Kopecks, 1879 (СПБ). Y-12; 8-247. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1293 5 Kopecks, 1881 (СПБ). Y-12; 8-249. **Choice Proof** (\$125-150)



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- 1294 **Pattern 2 Kopecks, 1863-EM (Brussels)**. B-142; GM-537. Copper. 28.4 mm. 9.62 grams. Much scarcer than the copper-nickel variety. **Choice Proof** (\$400-500)
- 1295 Copper Type set: ¼, ½, 1, 2, 3, and 5 Kopecks, 1867 (СПБ). 8-18, 62, 105, 150, 193, 230. Light handling or spots, ¼ Kopeck is **Extremely Fine**, all pieces are prooflike. **About Uncirculated to Uncirculated**. Lot of 6 coins (\$400-500)
Because the original mintage of this date was so small, they were restruck in the 1870's as novodel's for collectors. This is a complete set of six types.
- 1296 Copper Type set: ¼, ½, 1, 2, 3, and 5 Kopecks. 1868 (СПБ). B-18, 64, 107, 152, 195, 232. Some with uneven toning, all prooflike. **Uncirculated**. Lot of 6 coins (\$200-UP)
- 1297 Partial Type set: ¼, ½, 2, 3, and 5 Kopecks. 1869 (EM). 8-21, 65, 153, 196, 233. 2 and 3 Kopecks well used. ¼, ½, and 5 Kopecks, **Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated** Lot of 5 coins (\$50-60)
- 1298 Copper Proof set: ¼, ½, 1, 2, 3, and 5 Kopecks. 1876 (СПБ). 8-32, 75, 119, 164, 207, 244. ¼ and ½ Kopeck harshly cleaned. Uneven toning on all. **Proof**. Lot of 6 coins (\$300-UP)
- 1299 Copper Type set: ¼, ½, 1, 2, 3, and 5 Kopecks. 1877 (СПБ). 8-33, 76, 120, 165, 208, 245. All pieces with uneven toning. ¼ and ½ Kopeck are circulated. The rest, some prooflike. **Uncirculated**. Lot of 6 coins (\$125-150)
- 1300 Copper Type set: ¼, ½, 1, 2, 3, and 5 Kopecks. 1879 (СПБ). ¼ and 5 kopecks are choice about uncirculated, balance circulated. Lot of 6 coins (\$50-75)
- 1301 Copper Type set: ¼, ½, 1, 2, 3, and 5 Kopecks. 1881 (СПБ). B-37, 80, 124, 169, 212, 249. ¼ Kopeck **Choice Uncirculated**, 5 Kopeck cleaned **Proof**, Balance of set **Choice Proof's** with uneven toning. Lot of 6 coins (\$300-350)



- 1302 **Coronation Medal, 1856.** Smirnov-603a. Silver, 65 mm, by Lialin and Kushkin. Bust of Alexander II facing right. Reverse: Imperial eagle. **About Uncirculated** (\$300-350)
- 1303 **Medal, 1861.** Bronze, 63 mm, by N. Kosin. 50th anniversary of the Czar Alexander I Lyceum. Alexander I, laureate bust facing right. Reverse: Lyre on scroll. Some scratches and edge nicks. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine** (\$40-60)
- 1304 **Medal, 1872.** Silver, 29.3 mm. 200th Anniversary of the birth of Peter the Great. Toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)



- 1305 **Presentation Set of Medals, 1874.** Forrer VI, p.482. Silver, 77 mm by Charles Wiener. One struck in silver, the other in silvered bronze. Presentation set of medals commemorating the visit of Czar Alexander II to London in 1874. Bust of Alexander II left in uniform. Reverse: Allegory of Alexander and London embraced by Peace. Very Rare. Housed in an embossed leather case. Case somewhat worn, medals, **About Extremely Fine**. Lot of 2 medals (\$400-UP)

- 1306 **Medal, 1874.** Forrer-VI, p.482. Bronze, 77 mm, by Charles Wiener. Medal Commemorating the visit of Alexander II to London. Bust of Alexander II in uniform left. Reverse: Allegory of Alexander and London embraced by Peace. Scarce. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$125-UP)
- 1307 **Medal, 1881.** Smirnov-830. Silver, 77 mm, by Griliches and Alexiev. Death of Alexander II. Bust facing right, beneath palm and eye of God. Reverse: Mourning Russia placing wreath on casket. **Very Fine**. (\$150-200)
- 1308 Lot of Rubles: 1855 (2 pieces), 1872, 1873, 1875, 1876 (2 pieces), 1877 (3 pieces), 1878 (3 pieces). Some cleaned and with handling marks. **Fine to Extremely Fine**. Lot of 13 coins (\$250-300)
- 1309 Lot of Rubles: 1855, 1872, 1873, 1875, 1876, 1877, 1878, 1880. Some with handling or edge nicks. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**. Lot of 8 coins (\$200-250)
- 1310 Lot of Rubles: 1855, 1868, 1871, 1875, 1876, 1877, 1878, 1879. Some with edge nicks or cleaned. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**. Lot of 8 coins (\$275-325)
- 1311 Lot of Poltina's: 1855, 1856, 1857, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1877, 1878. A couple with edge nicks, otherwise a nice lot. **Very Fine to About Uncirculated**. Lot of 8 coins (\$250-300)
- 1312 Lot of Poltina's: 1855, 1857, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1877, 1878. Minor handling marks. **Very Fine to Choice Extremely Fine**. Lot of 7 coins. (\$175-225)
- 1313 Lot of Poltina's: 1857 (3 pieces), 1859 (3 pieces), 1860 (2 pieces). A few rim bumps. **Fine to Extremely Fine**. Lot of 8 coins . . (\$125-175)
- 1314 Lot of 25 Kopecks: 1855, 1856, 1857, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1877, 1878, 1880. Mainly a high grade lot. **Very Fine to About Uncirculated**. Lot of 9 coins (\$200-250)
- 1315 Lot of 25 Kopecks: 1855, 1856, 1857, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1877, 1878. Attractive high grade lot. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated**. Lot of 8 coins (\$150-175)
- 1316 Lot of 25 Kopecks: 1855, 1856, 1857, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1877, 1878. A minor marks, otherwise a nice lot. **Extremely Fine to Uncirculated**. Lot of 8 coins (\$150-175)
- 1317 Lot of 25 Kopecks: 1855, 1856, 1857, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1877, 1878. A few light marks. **Very Fine to About Uncirculated**. Lot of 8 coins (\$100-150)
- 1318 Lot of 25 Kopecks: 1855 (2 pieces), 1856 (2 pieces), 1857 (3 pieces), 1859 (2 pieces), 1860, 1877 (2 pieces). A few with minor handling marks. **Very Fine to About Uncirculated**. Lot of 12 coins (\$175-225)
- 1319 Lot of 20 Kopecks: 1855, 1857 (2 pieces), 1858, 1859, 1860, 1861 (2 pieces), 1864, 1865, 1870, 1873 (2 pieces), 1874, 1875, 1876. A high grade lot that should be examined. **About Uncirculated to Uncirculated**. Lot of 16 coins (\$300-350)
- 1320 Lot of 20 Kopecks: 1855, 1856, 1857, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1861, 1871, 1874, 1876, 1877. **Extremely Fine to Uncirculated**. Lot of 11 coins. (\$150-175)
- 1321 Lot of 20 Kopecks, 1855-1880. Good to About Uncirculated. Lot of 62 coins (\$200-250)
- 1322 Lot of 10 Kopecks. 1855, 1860, 1870, 1873. **Uncirculated**. Lot of 4 coins (\$75-100)
- 1323 Lot of 10 Kopecks, 1860-1881. Should be examined carefully. Good to **Uncirculated**. Lot of 27 coins (\$125-175)
- 1324 Lot of silver 5 Kopecks: 1855 (3 pieces), 1856 (4 pieces), 1857, 1859 (2 pieces), 1860, 1862, 1864, 1876. **Very Fine to Uncirculated**. Lot of 14 coins (\$150-200)
- 1325 Lot of Copper minors. ¼ Kopeck to 5 Kopecks. **Fine to Uncirculated**. Lot of 20 coins (\$50-75)



ALEXANDER III, 1881-1894

As the second son of Czar Alexander II, Alexander III had not been prepared to rule. His education had been along military lines without diplomatic training. When his elder brother, the czarévitch Nicholas, died in 1865 he was already firmly set in his thinking.

Hardened even further by the assassination of his father, upon assuming the throne Alexander III countermanded many of the new liberal reforms and instituted a reactionary centralized government. He died November 1st 1894 of complications from injuries received in an assassination attempt several years earlier.



1326 Ruble, 1883-ДС (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3937. Very Rare date. Choice About Uncirculated (\$600—UP)



1327 Ruble, 1883-ДС (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3937. Very Rare date. Choice About Uncirculated (\$600—UP)



1328 Ruble, 1883-ДС (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3937. Very Rare date. About Uncirculated (\$500—UP)



1329 Ruble, 1883-ДС (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3937. Very Rare date. About Uncirculated (\$500—UP)



1330 Ruble, 1883-ДС (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3936. Prooflike. Very Rare date. About Uncirculated (\$500—UP)



1331 Coronation Ruble, 1883. Dav-291; Sev-3939. Once cleaned now retoning. Rare. Proof (\$600-800)



1332 Coronation Ruble, 1883. Dav-291; Sev-3939. With superb fields and just a few contact marks on high points. Brilliant. Uncirculated. (\$200-250)

1333 Coronation Ruble, 1883. Dav-291; Sev-3939. Prooflike with moderate handling. Purchased as a Proof, and should be examined. About Uncirculated (\$150—UP)

1334 Coronation Ruble, 1883. Dav-291; Sev-3939. Prooflike. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)

1335 Coronation Ruble, 1883. Dav-291; Sev-3939. Extremely Fine. (\$75-100)

1336 Coronation Ruble, 1883. Dav-291; Sev-3939. Prooflike. Extremely Fine (\$65-85)

1337 Coronation Ruble, 1883. Dav-291; Sev-3939. Extremely Fine (\$50-65)

1338 Ruble, 1884-АГ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3948. Toned. Scarce date. Choice About Uncirculated (\$175-200)

1339 Ruble, 1884-АГ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3948. Scarce date. Choice Extremely Fine (\$100-125)

1340 Ruble, 1884-АГ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3948. Choice Extremely Fine. (\$100-125)

1341 Ruble, 1885-АГ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3955. Scarce date. Choice About Uncirculated (\$125-150)

1342 Ruble, 1885-АГ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3955. Scarce date. About Uncirculated (\$100-125)

1343 Ruble, 1885-АГ (СПБ). Dav-289; Sev-3955. Minor contact marks. Scarce. About Uncirculated (\$75-100)



1344 Ruble, 1886-АГ. Dav-292; Sev-3968. Prooflike or possible proof. About Uncirculated (\$250—UP)

1345 Ruble, 1886-АГ. Dav-292; Sev-3968. About Uncirculated (\$100-125)

- 1346 Ruble, 1886-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-3968. Cleaned. About Uncirculated. (\$50-75)
- 1347 Ruble, 1887-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-3977. Choice About Uncirculated. (\$150-175)



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- 1348 Ruble, 1888-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-3984. Beautifully toned, minimal hairlines. Extremely Rare. Proof (\$1500—UP)



- 1349 Ruble, 1889-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-3991. With a few light scratches hidden under old deep toning. A mintage of only 1,002 pieces. Extremely Rare date. Extremely Fine (\$1000—UP)



- 1350 Ruble, 1890-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-3998. With heavy hairlines from cleaning. Scarce date. Proof (\$750—UP)



- 1351 Ruble, 1890-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-3998. Lightly toned. Scarce date. Choice About Uncirculated (\$200-250)
- 1352 Ruble, 1891-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4005. About Uncirculated (\$150—UP)
- 1353 Ruble, 1891-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4005. Lightly cleaned. About Uncirculated (\$100-125)



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- 1354 Ruble, 1892-AГ. Dav-292; Y-46; Sev-4010. Toned. Very Rare. Choice Proof (\$1500-2000)
- 1355 Ruble, 1892-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4010. Choice About Uncirculated. (\$175-200)
- 1356 Ruble, 1892-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4010. Choice About Uncirculated. (\$175-200)
- 1357 Ruble, 1892-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4010. Tiny rim nicks. About Uncirculated (\$100-125)



- 1358 Ruble, 1893-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4017. Lightly brushed surfaces. Very Rare. Proof (\$750-1000)



- 1359 Ruble, 1893-AГ. Dav-292; Y-46; Sev-4017. Brilliant surfaces with light peripheral toning. Choice Uncirculated (\$350-400)
- 1360 Ruble, 1893-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4017. About Uncirculated (\$150-175)



- 1361 Ruble, 1894-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4022. Scarce date. Choice About Uncirculated (\$300-350)



- 1362 Ruble, 1894-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4022. Ink collectors number on reverse. Lustrous. Scarce date. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$200-250)



- 1363 Ruble, 1894-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4022. Toned. Scarce date. **Choice Extremely Fine** . . . (\$175-200)

- 1364 Ruble, 1894-AГ. Dav-292; Sev-4022. Scarce date. **Extremely Fine**. . . (\$150-175)



- 1365 Poltina, 1883-ДС (СПБ). Y-24; Sev-3934. Only 1,008 pieces struck. Very Rare date. **Choice Very Fine** . . . (\$300-350)



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- 1366 50 Kopecks, 1886-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3961. Only 2,058 pieces struck. Beautifully toned, Scarce date. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$750-1000)



- 1367 50 Kopecks, 1886-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3961. Scarce. **Choice About Uncirculated** . . . (\$200-250)

- 1368 50 Kopecks, 1886-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3961. Tiny rim nicks, Scarce. **About Uncirculated**. . . (\$175-200)

- 1369 50 Kopecks, 1886-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3961. Tiny rim nicks. **About Uncirculated**. . . (\$175-200)

- 1370 50 Kopecks, 1886-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3961. **Extremely Fine** . (\$150-175)



- 1371 50 Kopecks, 1887-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3975. Deeply toned. Very Rare. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$750-1000)

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- 1372 50 Kopecks, 1887-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3975. Lustrous. **Choice About Uncirculated** . . . (\$200-250)

- 1373 50 Kopecks, 1888-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3983. Only 2,007 pieces struck. Nicks in obverse field. Rare date. **Extremely Fine** . . . (\$125-150)



- 1374 50 Kopecks, 1889-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3990. Only 1,002 pieces struck. Deeply struck and prooflike. Extremely Rare date. **Choice Uncirculated** . . . (\$750-1000)



- 1375 50 Kopecks, 1889-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3990. Lightly cleaned. Extremely Rare date. **Extremely Fine** . . . (\$350-UP)



- 1376 50 Kopecks, 1889-AГ. Y-45; Sev-3990. Extremely Rare date. **Choice Very Fine** . . . (\$300-UP)



1377 50 Kopecks, 1890-AG. Y-45; Sev-3997. Only 2,006 pieces struck. Very Rare date. **Choice Very Fine** . . . (\$250-UP)

1378 50 Kopecks, 1891-AG. Y-45; Sev-4004. **Extremely Fine** . . (\$150-175)

1379 50 Kopecks, 1891-AG. Y-45; Sev-4004. Rim nicks, Toned. **Extremely Fine** . . . (\$100-125)



1380 50 Kopecks, 1892-AG. Y-45; Sev-4008. Brilliant with a few light handling marks. Very Rare. **Proof** . . . (\$500-700)

1381 50 Kopecks, 1892-AG. Y-45; Sev-4008. Rim nick. Rare date. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated** . . . (\$175-200)



1382 50 Kopecks, 1893-AG. Y-45; Sev-4016. Lustrous. Very scarce date. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$250-300)

1383 50 Kopecks, 1893-AG. Y-45; Sev-4016. Lustrous. **Extremely Fine**. . . (\$175-200)

1384 50 Kopecks, 1893-AG. Y-45; Sev-4016. Beautifully toned. Scarce. **Choice Very Fine** . . . (\$100-125)

1385 50 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-45; Sev-4016. Beautifully toned. **Choice About Uncirculated** . . . (\$175-200)

1386 50 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-45; Sev-4016. **Choice About Uncirculated**. . . (\$150-175)

1387 50 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-45; Sev-4021. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated**. . . (\$125-150)

1388 50 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-45; Sev-4021. **About Uncirculated**. . . (\$125-150)

1389 50 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-45; Sev-4021. Tiny reverse rim nick. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$100-125)

1390 50 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-45; Sev-4021. Light rim marks. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$100-125)

1391 50 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-45; Sev-4021. Toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** . . . (\$75-100)

1392 50 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-45; Sev-4021. **Choice Extremely Fine**. . . (\$75-100)

1393 50 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-45; Sev-4021. Toned. **Extremely Fine**. . . (\$65-85)

1394 25 Kopecks, 1881-НФ (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3912. Several rim nicks. Rare. **Extremely Fine** . . . (\$40-50)

1395 25 Kopecks, 1884-AG (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3946. Toned. Very Rare date. **Extremely Fine** . . . (\$175-200)



1396 25 Kopecks, 1885-AG (СПБ). Y-23; Sev-3953. Only 1,011 pieces struck. Lustrous. Very Rare date. **About Uncirculated** . . (\$300-350)

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1397 25 Kopecks, 1886-AG. Y-44; Sev-3960. Toned. **Choice About Uncirculated** . . . (\$150-175)

1398 25 Kopecks, 1886-AG. Y-44; Sev-3960. Mintage of only 4,058 pieces. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$125-150)

1399 25 Kopecks, 1886-AG. Y-44; Sev-3960. **About Uncirculated**. . . (\$125-150)

1400 25 Kopecks, 1886-AG. Y-44; Sev-3960. **About Uncirculated**. . . (\$125-150)

1401 25 Kopecks, 1886-AG. Y-44; Sev-3960. Tiny rim nick. Prooflike. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$100-125)

1402 25 Kopecks, 1887-AG. Y-44; Sev-3974. Prooflike with nice toning. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$125-150)

1403 25 Kopecks, 1887-AG. Y-44; Sev-3974. Obverse hairlines. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$100-125)

1404 25 Kopecks, 1887-AG. Y-44; Sev-3974. Toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** . . . (\$100-125)

1405 25 Kopecks, 1887-AG. Y-44; Sev-3974. Rim nick. **Extremely Fine**. . . (\$75-100)

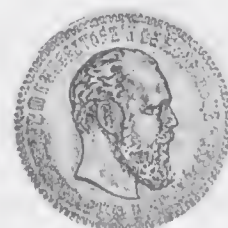
1406 25 Kopecks, 1888-AG. Y-44; Sev-3982. Lightly toned. Rare. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$175-200)



1407 25 Kopecks, 1889-AG. Y-44; Sev-3989. Only 1,002 pieces struck. Toned. Extremely Rare date. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$750-1000)



1408 25 Kopecks, 1889-AG. Y-44; Sev-3989. Extremely Rare date. **Extremely Fine** . . . (\$300-400)



1409 25 Kopecks, 1890-AG. Y-44; Sev-3996. Toned. Rare. **Extremely Fine**. . . (\$175-200)

1410 25 Kopecks, 1890-AG. Y-44; Sev-3996. Harshly cleaned. Rare. **Extremely Fine** . . . (\$75-100)

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- 1411 25 Kopecks, 1891-AG. Y-44; Sev-4003. Toned. Extremely Rare. Choice Proof(\$700-900)



- 1412 25 Kopecks, 1891-AG. Y-44; Sev-4003. Prooflike. Rare. Choice About Uncirculated(\$200-250)

- 1413 25 Kopecks, 1891-AG. Y-44; Sev-4003. Rare. Choice About Uncirculated(\$175-200)



- 1414 25 Kopecks, 1891-AG. Y-44; Sev-4003. Rare. Choice About Uncirculated(\$175-200)

- 1415 25 Kopecks, 1892-AG. Y-44; Sev-4007. Scarce date. Choice Very Fine(\$75-100)



- 1416 25 Kopecks, 1893-AG. Y-44; Sev-4015. Attractively toned with moderate hairlines. Very Rare. Proof(\$400-500)



- 1417 25 Kopecks, 1893-AG. Y-44; Sev-4015. Uncirculated ..(\$200-250)

- 1418 25 Kopecks, 1893-AG. Y-44; Sev-4015. Choice About Uncirculated.(\$125-150)

- 1419 25 Kopecks, 1893-AG. Y-44; Sev-4015. Choice About Uncirculated.(\$125-150)

- 1420 25 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-44; Sev-4020. Choice Uncirculated.(\$175-200)

- 1421 25 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-44; Sev-4020. Choice About Uncirculated.(\$75-100)

- 1422 25 Kopecks, 1894-AG. Y-44; Sev-4020. Tiny rim nicks. About Uncirculated(\$65-85)

- 1423 20 Kopecks, 1882-НФ (СПБ). Y-22; Sev-3019. Choice Proof.(\$125-150)

- 1424 15 Kopecks, 1888-AG. Y-21; Sev-3980. Mintage records list 7 pieces struck but frequency of appearance proves this inaccurate, still scarce. Choice Extremely Fine(\$—)

- 1425 15 Kopecks, 1888-AG (СПБ). Y-21; Sev-3980. Scarce. Very Fine to Extremely Fine(\$—)

- 1426 15 Kopecks, 1888-AG (СПБ). Y-21; Sev-3980. Scarce. Very Fine(\$—)

- 1427 15 Kopecks, 1891-AG (СПБ). Y-21; Sev-4001. Choice Proof(\$100-125)

- 1428 Medal, 1889. Smirnov-961. Bronze, 92 mm by A. Griliches. 500th anniversary of Russian military use of artillery begun by Dimitri Donskoi in 1389. Bust of Alexander III facing left. Reverse: Legend in wreath of cannons. Choice About Uncirculated(\$75-100)



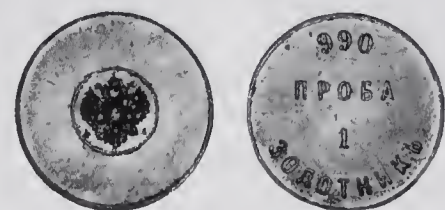
- 1429 10 Zolotniks Mining Ingot, ND (c.1880-1900). Spassky-p.213; Sev-4206. Silver separated from gold ore supplied to the government was returned to the miners in this form. Tiny rim nick. About Uncirculated(\$500-600)



- 1430 10 Zolotniks Mining Ingot, ND (c.1880-1900). Spassky-p.213; Sev-4206. Silver separated from gold ore supplied to the government was returned to the miners in this form. Rim nick. Extremely Fine.(\$400-500)



- 1431 3 Zolotniks Mining Ingot, ND (c.1880-1900). Sev-4207. Minor field marks. Extremely Rare. Extremely Fine(\$750-UP)



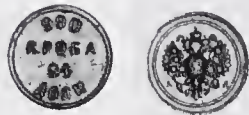
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- 1432 Zolotnik Mining Ingot, ND (c.1880-1900). Sev-4208. Rare. About Extremely Fine(\$200-300)

Coinage of Alexander III



- 1433 **Zolotnik Mining Ingot, ND (c.1880-1900).** Sev 4208. Rare. **About Very Fine** (\$150-200)



- 1434 **24 Dolya (1/4 Zolotnik), Mining Ingot ND (c. 1880-1900).** Sev-4209. Very Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$200-300)
- 1435 Lot of Rubles. **1882-НФ (СПБ).** Sev-3914. Scarce. **About Very Fine;** **1884-АГ (СПБ).** Sev-3948. cleaned. **Extremely Fine;** **1885-АГ (СПБ).** Sev-3955. Tiny rim nick. **Extremely Fine.** Lot of 3 coins. (\$175-225)
- 1436 Lot of Rubles. **1886-АГ.** Sev-3968. Minor rim nicks. **About Uncirculated;** **1888-АГ..** Sev-3984. Cleaned. **Extremely Fine;** **1891-АГ.** Sev-4005. A few light marks on obverse. **About Uncirculated.** Lot of 3 coins (\$200-250)
- 1437 Lot of Rubles. **1886, 1888, 1890, 1891, 1892.** Dav-292. Some with edge nicks. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 5 coins. (\$300-350)
- 1438 Lot of Rubles. **1883 (Coronation), 1893, 1894.** Dav-291, 292. **Very Good to Very Fine.** Lot of 3 coins (\$80-100)
- 1439 Lot of Rubles. **1883 (Coronation), 1887, 1893, 1894.** Dav-291, 292. Some with handling marks or cleaned. **Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 4 coins (\$150-175)

- 1440 **25 and 50 Kopecks, 1894-АГ.** Sev-4020, 4021. Both cleaned. **About Uncirculated.** Lot of 2 coins (\$125-150)
- 1441 **25 and 50 Kopecks, 1894-АГ.** Y-44,45. Toned. **Extremely Fine.** Lot of 2 coins (\$125-150)
- 1442 Lot of 25 Kopecks. **1887, 1888, 1890, 1893.** Y-44. Couple with minor nicks. A few scarce dates. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 4 coins. (\$300-350)
- 1443 **20, 15, 10, and 5 Kopecks, 1889-АГ (СПБ).** Y-19-22; Sev-3985-3988. **Choice Uncirculated.** Lot of 4 coins (\$60-80)
- 1444 **Lot of 5 Kopecks, 1882-1893.** **Good to Uncirculated.** Lot of 55 coins. (\$200-250)
- 1445 Miscellaneous lot of 1/2 Kopecks through Rubles. 1883-1894. Should be examined carefully. **Very Good to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 29 coins. (\$300-375)

A Buyer's Commission of ten percent (10%)
on each individual lot will be added to all purchases
made by all bidders and will be based upon
the total amount of the final bid.



NICHOLAS II, 1894-1917

The oldest son of Alexander III, Nicholas II came to the throne at the age of 26. He was married the same year to Princess Alix of Hessen, granddaughter of England's Queen Victoria. Together this romantic pair, Nicholas and Alexandra, presided over the decline and fall of the Romanov dynasty.

The government and economy of Russia was decayed and ineffectual. Nicholas' weak leadership and disastrous involvement in the Russo-Japanese War and finally World War I brought on the major revolution which had been brewing for decades. He was forced to abdicate on March 15th 1917 and a provisional government led by Alexander Kerensky was soon established. Nicholas and his family were executed by orders of the then ruling Bolshevik government on July 8th 1918. At that time, Russia was breaking out in a bloody civil war which was to last until 1922.



1446 Ruble, 1895-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4026; Y-59. Cleaned with resulting hairlines. Rare. **Proof** (\$500-700)

1447 Ruble, 1895-AГ. Dav-294; Sev-4026. Scarce in high grade. Toned. Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated (\$75-100)



1448 Ruble, 1896 (Plain edge). Dav-293; Sev-4036. 19.982 grams. Minor edge nicks, attractively toned. Excessively Rare. **Fine** .. (\$600-800)
Ex Virgil Brand Collection, Sotheby's 1983, lot 296.

1449 Ruble, 1896-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4033; Y-59. Spotty toning. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)



1450 Ruble, 1896-AГ. Dav-294; Sev-4035; Y-60. Nicholas II Coronation commemorative. Hairlined. Extremely Rare as a true proof. **Proof** (\$600-800)

1451 Ruble, 1896-AГ. Dav-294; Sev-4035; Y-60. **Uncirculated** (\$125-150)

1452 Ruble, 1896-AГ. Dav-294; Sev-4035; Y-60. Prooflike with moderate handling. **About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)

1453 Ruble, 1896-AГ. Dav-294; Sev-4035; Y-60. Once cleaned, prooflike. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)



1454 Ruble, 1897-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4043; Y-59. Attractively toned with light hairlines. Rare. **Proof** (\$700-900)

1455 Ruble, 1897-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4043; Y-59. Moderate contact marks on face. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)



1456 Ruble, 1897 ★ ★ (Brussels). Dav-293; Sev-4044; Y-59. Hairlined with some scuffing in fields. Rare. **Proof** (\$500-700)



1457 Ruble, 1897 ★ ★ (Brussels). Dav-293; Sev-4044; Y-59. With light handling and thin scratch from beard to rim. Rare. **Proof** (\$500-700)

1458 Ruble, 1897 ★ ★ (Brussels). Dav-293; Sev-4044; Y-59. Some hairlines under uneven toning. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-65)

1459 Ruble, 1897 ★ ★ (Brussels). Dav-293; Sev-4044; Y-59. Hairlined with uneven toning. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-65)

1898 PROOF SET



1460 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4050. Toned. Rare. **Choice Proof** (\$1000-1250)



1461 50 Kopecks, 1898-AГ. Y-58; Sev-4048. Beautifully toned. Extremely Rare date. **Choice Proof** (\$1500—UP)
A Proof only issue. The first specimen we have ever seen.



See Color Plate 6

- 1462 25 Kopecks, 1898. Y-57; Sev-Unlisted; Julian-674 (this specimen). Reeded edge. Superb with beautiful toning. Unique. **Choice Proof** (\$7500-UP)
Identical to regular issue type but totally unknown before this specimen surfaced from a European museum liquidation. This date is unknown in any Russian museum or reference and was totally unpublished until now. It will appear in the new Julian reference. Robert Julian's research uncovered the fact that the Russian Mint report for 1898 lists the mintage of 25 kopecks as 1 piece!



- 1463 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4050; Y-59. Light hairlines. **Proof**.
 (\$700-900)



- 1464 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4050; Y-59. With light handling marks. **Proof**.
 (\$700-900)



- 1465 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4050; Y-59. With moderate handling marks in field. **Proof** (\$500-700)
 1466 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4050; Y-59. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$75-100)
 1467 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4050; Y-59. Toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
 1468 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4050; Y-59. Tiny rim nick. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-65)
 1469 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-293; Sev-4050; Y-59. Nick in reverse field. **About Uncirculated** (\$50-65)



- 1470 Ruble, 1898 ★ ★ (Brussels). Dav-293; Sev-4053; Y-59. With light handling. **Rare. Proof** (\$700-900)



- 1471 Ruble, 1898 ★ ★ (Brussels). Dav-293; Sev-4053; Y-59. With moderate handling. **Rare. Proof** (\$700-900)



- 1472 Pattern Commemorative Ruble, 1898. Sev-4056. Silver. 33.8 mm. 18.5 grams. Plain edge. By A. Griliches. Alexander II Monument. Bust of Alexander II facing left. Reverse: Monument without value in exergue as on the regular issue. Prooflike with some scuffing in fields. **About Uncirculated** (\$2000-3000)
Extremely Rare, probably the only piece to come on the market in the last 60 years.
Ex A. Hess Auction of Hermitage Duplicates 1931 lot 2028.



See Color Plate 6

- 1473 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-295; Sev-4055; Y-61. Alexander II Monument. Prooflike and beautifully toned. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$800-1000)



- 1474 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-295; Sev-4055; Y-61. Alexander II Monument. Choice Extremely Fine (\$600-800)



- 1475 Ruble, 1898-AГ. Dav-295; Sev-4055; Y-61. Alexander II Monument. Rim nicks. Extremely Fine (\$400-500)



- 1476 Ruble, 1899-3Б. Dav-293; Sev-4070; Y-59. Heavily hairlined. Proof. (\$400-500)

- 1477 Ruble, 1899 * * (Brussels). Dav-293; Sev-4068; Y-59. Brilliant. Choice Uncirculated (\$175-200)



See Color Plate 6

- 1478 Ruble, 1900-Ф3. Dav-293; Y-59; Sev-4080. A few minor spots. Choice Proof (\$1000-1250)

- 1479 Ruble, 1900-Ф3. Dav-293; Sev-4080; Y-59. Scarce. About Uncirculated (\$125-150)

- 1480 Ruble, 1900-Ф3. Dav-293; Sev-4080. Toned. Extremely Fine (\$50-75)



- 1481 Ruble, 1901-AP. Dav-293; Sev-4095; Y-59. Very scarce assayer. Cleaned. Proof (\$700-900)



See Color Plate 6

- 1482 Ruble, 1901-Ф3. Dav-293; Sev-4093; Y-59. Attractively toned with moderate scuffing and handling. Rare. Proof (\$700-900)

- 1483 Ruble, 1901-Ф3. Dav-293; Sev-4093; Y-59. Choice About Uncirculated (\$150-175)

- 1484 Ruble, 1901-Ф3. Dav-293; Sev-4093; Y-59. Choice About Uncirculated (\$150-175)

- 1485 Ruble, 1901-Ф3. Dav-293; Sev-4093; Y-59. Tiny rim bump. Prooflike with beautiful tone. About Uncirculated (\$125-150)

- 1486 Ruble, 1901-Ф3. Dav-293; Sev-4093; Y-59. Deeply toned. Choice Extremely Fine (\$75-100)



- 1487 Ruble, 1902-AP. Dav-293; Sev-4101; Y-59. Cameo bust but moderately scuffed fields. Proof (\$700-900)



- 1488 Ruble, 1902-AP. Dav-293; Sev-4101; Y-59. Heavily scuffed fields. Proof (\$400-500)



1489 Ruble, 1902-AP. Dav-293; Sev-4101; Y-59. Scuffed fields and marks on the neck. **Proof** (\$400-500)

1490 Ruble, 1902-AP. Dav-293; Sev-4101; Y-59. Very Scarce. **Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated** (\$150-175)



See Color Plate 6

1491 Ruble, 1903-AP. Dav-293; Sev-4107; Y-59. Beautifully toned. Very Rare date. **Choice Proof** (\$1500-2000)



1492 Ruble, 1903-AP. Dav-293; Sev-4107; Y-59. Attractively toned with moderate hairlines and light scratching behind bust. **Rare. Proof.** (\$500-700)



1493 Ruble, 1904-AP. Dav-293; Sev-4113; Y-59. Hairlined with mottled toning. **Proof** (\$1000-1500)
The rarest date ruble of Nicholas II.



1494 Ruble, 1905-AP. Dav-293; Sev-4118; Y-59. Brilliant with moderate hairlines. **Rare date. Proof** (\$700-900)



1495 Ruble, 1906-3Б. Dav-293; Sev-4124; Y-59. Subdued toning with a few dark tone spots on reverse. **Scarce date. Proof** (\$1000-1250)



1496 Ruble, 1907-3Б. Dav-293; Sev-4129; Y-59. Beautifully toned with heavily scuffed fields. **Proof** (\$500-700)



1497 Ruble, 1908-3Б. Dav-293; Sev-4135; Y-59. Brilliant with superb fields. Very Rare date despite relatively high mintage. **Choice Proof.** (\$1500-2000)



1498 Ruble, 1908-3Б. Dav-293; Sev-4135; Y-59. Light scuffing in fields. Very Rare date. **Proof** (\$700-900)



1499 Ruble, 1909-3Б. Dav-293; Sev-4141. Superb deeply toned. **Rare date. Proof** (\$1500-2000)



1500 Ruble, 1909-35. Dav-293; Sev-4141; Y-59. With scuffed surfaces. Scarce date. **Proof** (\$500-700)

1501 Ruble, 1909-35. Dav-293; Sev-4141; Y-59. Very scarce date. **Very Fine** (\$75-100)



1502 Ruble, 1910-35. Dav-293; Sev-4146; Y-59. Toned with moderate handling. **Proof** (\$500-700)



1503 Ruble, 1910-35. Dav-293; Sev-4146; Y-59. Toned with moderate to heavy handling. **Rare. Proof** (\$400-500)

1504 Ruble, 1910-35. Dav-293; Sev-4146; Y-59. Toned. **Choice Very Fine**.
..... (\$65-85)



1505 Ruble, 1911-35. Dav-293; Sev-4152; Y-59. Heavily hairlined. **Rare. Proof** (\$400-500)



1506 Ruble, 1911-35. Dav-293; Sev-4152; Y-59. **Rare this nice. Choice About Uncirculated** (\$225-275)



See Color Plate 6

1507 **Silver Proof Set: Ruble, 50, 20, 15, 10 and 5 Kopecks, 1912-35.** Sev-4162, 4161, 4159, 4157, 4155, 4153. 5 Kopecks has minor reverse flaws. All pieces toned. **Choice Proofs.** Lot of 6 coins (\$1500-2000)



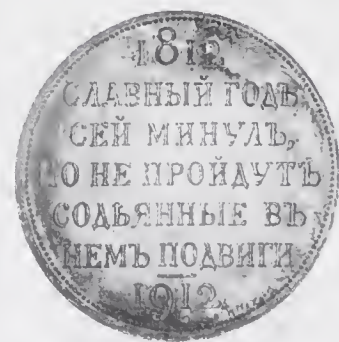
1508 Ruble, 1912-35. Dav-293; Sev-4162; Y-59. Scuffed fields. **Proof**.
..... (\$300-400)

1509 Ruble, 1912-35. Dav-293; Sev-4162; Y-59. **Brilliant. Choice Uncirculated** (\$150-175)

1510 Ruble, 1912-35. Dav-293; Sev-4162; Y-59. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$65-85)



1511 Ruble, 1912-35. Dav-296; Sev-4164; Y-68. **Napoleon Defeat.** Light handling and scuffed reverse, Toned. **Proof** (\$700-900)
Very rare as a proof.



1512 Ruble, 1912. Dav-296; Y-68; Sev-4164. **Defeat of Napoleon Commemorative.** Lightly toned and superb for type. **Choice Uncirculated** (\$400-500)



1513 Ruble, 1912-35. Dav-296; Sev-4164; Y-68. Defeat of Napoleon commemorative. Brilliant. Choice Uncirculated (\$400-500)



1514 Ruble, 1912-35. Dav-297; Sev-4165; Y-69. Alexander III Monument commemorative. Only 900 pieces struck. Very Rare. Choice Uncirculated (\$1000-1500)

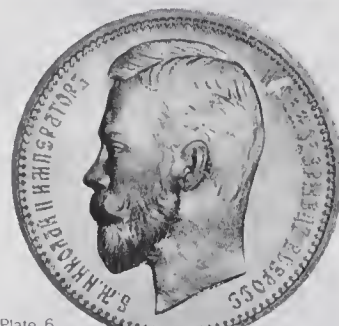


1515 Ruble, 1912-35. Dav-297; Sev-4165; Y-69. Alexander III Monument commemorative. Cleaned. Extremely Fine (\$400-475)



1516 Ruble, 1912-35. Dav-297; Sev-4165; Y-69. Alexander III Monument commemorative. Scrubbed with reverse rim nick. Extremely Fine. (\$225-275)

VERY RARE 1913 PROOF SET



See Color Plate 6

1517 Silver Proof Set: Ruble, 50, 20, 15, 10 and 5 Kopecks. 1913-35. Sev-4177, 4175, 4173, 4171, 4169, 4167. A superb lightly toned set. Choice Proofs (\$2000-3000)
The ruble is a rare date and the minors are all rare with this assayer.



1518 Ruble, 1913-35. Dav-293; Sev-4177; Y-59. Toned. Very scarce date. Extremely Fine (\$225-275)



See Color Plate 6

1519 Silver Proof Set: Ruble, 50, 20, 15, 10, and 5 Kopecks. 1913-BC. Sev-4178, 4176, 4174, 4172, 4170, 4168. A superb lightly toned set. Choice Proofs. Lot of 6 coins (\$2000-UP)



1520 Ruble, 1913-BC. Dav-293; Sev-4178; Y-59. Brilliant. Scarce date. Choice Proof (\$1000-1500)

- 1521 **Ruble, 1913-BC.** Dav-298; Sev-4179; Y-70. Romanov commemorative. Low relief. Tiny rim bump on reverse. Toned. **Uncirculated** . (\$50-75)
- 1522 **Ruble, 1913-BC.** Dav-298; Sev-4180; Y-70. Romanov commemorative. High relief. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$50-60)



- 1523 **Ruble, 1914-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4186; Y-59. With heavy handling and scratch in reverse field. **Rare. Proof** (\$300-500)



- 1524 **Ruble, 1914-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4186; Y-59. With heavy handling and nicks on bust. **Proof** (\$200-300)
- 1525 **Ruble, 1914-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4186; Y-59. Scarce date. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$175-200)
- 1526 **Ruble, 1914-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4186; Y-59. Some scuffing and rim nicks. Scarce date. **Extremely Fine** (\$100-125)



- 1527 **Ruble, 1914-BC.** Dav-299; Sev-4187; Y-71. 200th Anniversary of the Naval Victory at Gangut. Beautifully toned with a few minor rim marks. **Uncirculated** (\$2000-2500)



- 1528 **Ruble, 1914-BC.** Dav-299; Sev-4187; Y-71. 200th Anniversary of the Naval Victory at Gangut. Moderate handling marks. **About Uncirculated** (\$1500-2000)



- 1529 **Ruble, 1915-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4194; Y-59. Heavy handling marks. Scarce last year of type. **Proof** (\$500-700)



- 1530 **Ruble, 1915-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4194; Y-59. Once cleaned with resultant hairlines. Toned. Scarce last year of type. **Proof** (\$500-700)



- 1531 **Ruble, 1915-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4194; Y-59. Rare this nice. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$225-275)
- 1532 **Ruble, 1915-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4194; Y-59. Lustrous. **About Uncirculated** (\$200-250)
- 1533 **Ruble, 1915-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4194; Y-59. Toned. **Choice Extremely Fine** (\$175-200)
- 1534 **Ruble, 1915-BC.** Dav-293; Sev-4194; Y-59. Light contact marks, toned. **Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)



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- 1535 **50 Kopecks, 1895-AГ.** Sev-4025; Y-58. Beautifully toned with cameo bust, a few light field marks. **Rare. Proof** (\$400-500)



- 1536 **50 Kopecks, 1895-AГ.** Sev-4025; Y-58. Once cleaned with consequent mottled toning. **Rare. Proof** (\$200-300)

Coinage of Nicholas II

- 1537 50 Kopecks, 1895-АГ. Sev-4025; Y-58. Choice Uncirculated.
..... (\$75-100)

- 1538 50 Kopecks, 1895-АГ. Sev-4025; Y-58. Choice About Uncirculated.
..... (\$50-65)

- 1539 50 Kopecks, 1895-АГ. Sev-4025; Y-58. Several high grade pieces.
Good to About Uncirculated. Lot of 8 coins (\$100-125)



- 1540 50 Kopecks, 1896 * (Paris). Sev-4031; Y-58. Lightly hairlined. Very
rare Paris mint issue. Proof (\$300-400)

- 1541 50 Kopecks, 1896 * (Paris). Sev-4031; Y-58. Lustrous. Very scarce.
Uncirculated (\$100-125)

- 1542 50 Kopecks, 1896-АГ. Sev-4030; Y-58. Some with edge nicks and
scratches. Averages Extremely Fine. Lot of 4 coins (\$40-50)

- 1543 50 Kopecks, 1897 * (Paris). Sev-4041; Y-58. Choice About
Uncirculated to Uncirculated (\$50-75)

- 1544 50 Kopecks, 1897 * (Paris). Sev-4041; Y-58. Some with handling
marks. Good to Extremely Fine. Lot of 5 coins (\$40-60)



- 1545 50 Kopecks, 1898-АГ. Sev-4048; Y-58. Light hairlines. Extremely
Rare date. Proof (\$1000-1250)



- 1546 50 Kopecks, 1898-АГ. Sev-4048; Y-58. Toned with light handling and
Russian symbol for extremely rarity (a line between two dots) in ink
on the neck. Proof (\$700-900)



- 1547 50 Kopecks, 1898-АГ. Sev-4048; Y-58. Moderate handling.
Extremely Rare. Proof (\$700-900)



- 1548 50 Kopecks, 1899-3Б. Sev-4065; Y-58. Light toned. Choice Proof.
..... (\$400-500)



- 1549 50 Kopecks, 1899 * (Paris). Sev-4067; Y-58. Rare Paris mint proof
striking. Hairlined in fields from cleaning. Proof (\$200-300)

- 1550 50 Kopecks, 1899 * (Paris). Sev-4067; Y-58. Several nice pieces. Fine
to About Uncirculated. Lot of 6 coins (\$125-150)



See Color Plate 6

- 1551 50 Kopecks, 1900-Ф3. Sev-4079; Y-58. Attractively toned with
scuffing in obverse field. Rare. Proof (\$300-400)

- 1552 50 Kopecks, 1901-AP. Sev-4091; Y-58. With scuffing on obverse.
Proof (\$300-400)
The rarer of the two assayers for this date.



- 1553 50 Kopecks, 1902-AP. Sev-4100; Y-58. Toned with hairlining and light
contact marks. Rare date. Proof (\$300-400)



- 1554 50 Kopecks, 1902-AP. Sev-4100; Y-58. Lightly toned with moderate
contact marks and hairlines. Rare date. Proof (\$300-400)

- 1555 50 Kopecks, 1902-AP. Sev-4100; Y-58. With heavy handling. Rare.
Proof (\$200-300)



- 1556 50 Kopecks, 1903-AP. Sev-4106; Y-58. With moderate scuffing and hairlines. Excessively Rare date with a recorded mintage of 19 pieces. **Proof** (\$1000-1500)



- 1557 50 Kopecks, 1903-AP. Sev-4106; Y-58. Deeply toned. Excessively rare date with a recorded mintage of 19 pieces. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$1000—UP)



- 1558 50 Kopecks, 1904-AP. Sev-4112; Y-58. Brilliant with a few light hairlines. Extremely Rare. **Proof** (\$1000-1500)
The rarest regular issue date 50 kopeck piece of Nicholas II. Mintage of 4010 pieces.



- 1559 50 Kopecks, 1904-AP. Sev-4112; Y-58. With moderate hairlines. Extremely Rare. **Proof** (\$750-1000)



- 1560 50 Kopecks, 1904-AP. Sev-4112; Y-58. Tiny rim nick. Extremely Rare. **About Uncirculated** (\$500—UP)



See Color Plate 6

- 1561 50 Kopecks, 1906-3Б. Sev-4123; Y-58. Superb with beautiful toning. Very Rare date. **Proof** (\$700-900)



- 1562 50 Kopecks, 1906-3Б. Sev-4123; Y-58. Hairlined. Very Rare. **Proof**.
..... (\$400-500)



- 1563 50 Kopecks, 1906-3Б. Sev-4123; Y-58. Heavily hairlined. Very Rare. **Proof**.
..... (\$300-400)



- 1564 50 Kopecks, 1907-3Б. Sev-4128; Y-58. Beautifully toned with a few light handling marks. **Proof**.
..... (\$500-700)
Ex Virgil Brand Collection.



- 1565 50 Kopecks, 1907-3Б. Sev-4128; Y-58. With light handling. **Proof**.
..... (\$400-500)



- 1566 50 Kopecks, 1907-3Б. Sev-4128; Y-58. With light contact marks and hairlines. **Proof**.
..... (\$300-400)



- 1567 50 Kopecks, 1908-3Б. Sev-4134; Y-58. With hairlines hidden under deep toning. **Proof**.
..... (\$300-400)

Coinage of Nicholas II



1568 50 Kopecks, 1908-3Б. Sev-4134; Y-58. Toned with moderate handling. Very scarce date. **Proof** (\$300-400)

1569 50 Kopecks, 1908-3Б. Sev-4134; Y-58. Cleaned with resultant hairlines. Very scarce date. **Proof** (\$300-400)



1570 50 Kopecks, 1909-3Б. Sev-4140; Y-58. Brilliant with a few light hairlines. Scarce date. **Proof** (\$400-500)



1571 50 Kopecks, 1909-3Б. Sev-4140; Y-58. With moderate handling marks. **Proof** (\$300-400)



1572 50 Kopecks, 1909-3Б. Sev-4140; Y-58. Toned with hairlines and contact marks. **Proof** (\$300-400)



1573 50 Kopecks, 1910-3Б. Sev-4145; Y-58. Deeply toned with a few light hairlines. **Proof** (\$500-700)

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1574 50 Kopecks, 1910-3Б. Sev-4145; Y-58. Toned with light handling. **Proof** (\$300-400)

1575 50 Kopecks, 1910-3Б. Sev-4145; Y-58. Very Fine to About Uncirculated. Lot of 4 coins (\$100-125)



1576 50 Kopecks, 1911-3Б. Sev-4151; Y-58. Toned with light contact marks. **Proof** (\$300-400)



1577 50 Kopecks, 1911-3Б. Sev-4151; Y-58. With contact marks in field hidden under light toning. **Proof** (\$200-300)



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1578 50 Kopecks, 1911-3Б. Sev-4151; Y-58. Toned with hairlines from old cleaning. **Proof** (\$200-300)

1579 50 Kopecks, 1911-3Б. Sev-4151; Y-58. Very Fine to Choice About Uncirculated. Lot of 3 coins (\$75-100)



1580 50 Kopecks, 1912-3Б. Sev-4161; Y-58. Beautifully toned with moderate hairlines. **Proof** (\$200-300)

1581 50 Kopecks, 1912-3Б. Sev-4161; Y-58. With moderate hairlines. **Proof**.
..... (\$200-300)

1582 50 Kopecks, 1912-3Б. Sev-4161; Y-58. With numerous contact marks. **Proof** (\$100-125)

1583 50 Kopecks, 1912-3Б. Sev-4161; Y-58. With heavy scuffing. **Proof**.
..... (\$75-100)

1584 50 Kopecks, 1912-3Б. Y-58. Some with scratches and nicks. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**. Lot of 9 coins (\$40-50)



1585 50 Kopecks, 1913-BC. Sev-4176; Y-58. Brilliant with cameo bust and a few light hairlines. **Proof** (\$400-500)

- 1586 **50 Kopecks, 1913-BC.** Sev-4176; Y-58. Brilliant with light hairlines. **Proof** (\$200-250)
- 1587 **50 Kopecks, 1913-BC.** Sev-4176; Y-58. Beautifully toned with light hairlines. **Proof** (\$200-250)
- 1588 **50 Kopecks, 1913-3Б.** Sev-4175; Y-58. Brilliant with moderate handling. **Proof** (\$175-200)
- 1589 **50 Kopecks, 1913-BC.** Sev-4176; Y-58. Toned with moderate contact marks. **Proof** (\$175-200)
- 1590 **50 Kopecks, 1913-BC.** Sev-4176; Y-58. Hairlined with several rim nicks. **Proof** (\$150-200)
- 1591 **50 Kopecks, 1913-BC.** Sev-4176; Y-58. Lightly toned with moderate scuffing. **Proof** (\$150-175)
- 1592 **50 Kopecks, 1913-3Б.** Sev-4175; Y-58. Toned with moderate scuffing and tiny rim nick. **Proof** (\$150-175)
- 1593 **50 Kopecks, 1913-3Б.** Sev-4175; Y-58. Toned with scuffing and tiny rim nicks. **Proof** (\$125-150)
- 1594 **50 Kopecks, 1913-3Б.** Sev-4175; Y-58. Cleaned. **Proof** issue. **About Uncirculated** (\$100-125)
- 1595 **50 Kopecks, 1913-3Б.** Sev-4175; Y-58. Collector mark in field. Scarce assayer. **Extremely Fine** (\$40-50)
- 1596 **50 Kopecks, 1913-BC.** Sev-4176; Y-58. **Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 13 coins (\$100-150)



- 1597 **50 Kopecks, 1914-BC.** Sev-4185; Y-58. Brilliant. **Choice Proof**. (\$500-700)



- 1598 **50 Kopecks, 1914-BC.** Sev-4185; Y-58. Toned with light contact marks. **Proof** (\$300-400)
- 1599 **50 Kopecks, 1914-BC.** Sev-4185; Y-58. Some nicks and handling marks. **Very Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 9 coins . (\$100-125)
- 1600 **25 Kopecks, 1895.** Sev-4024; Y-57. Toned. **Uncirculated** . (\$50-75)
- 1601 **25 Kopecks, 1895.** Sev-4024; Y-57. **Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 6 coins (\$150-175)
- 1602 **25 Kopecks, 1896.** Sev-4029; Y-57. Deeply toned. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1603 **25 Kopecks, 1896.** Sev-4029; Y-57. **Very Good to Choice Extremely Fine.** Lot of 7 coins (\$75-100)
- 1604 **25 Kopecks, 1900.** Sev-4078; Y-57. Very scarce date. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$125-150)



- 1605 **25 Kopecks, 1901.** Sev-4089; Y-57. Deeply toned with a few light hairlines. **Extremely Rare proof** only issue, approximately 150 pieces struck. **Proof** (\$1500-2000)



- 1606 **25 Kopecks, 1901.** Sev-4089; Y-57. Brilliant with moderate hairlines. **Extremely Rare. Proof** (\$1000-1500)



- 1607 **25 Kopecks, 1901.** Sev-4089; Y-57. Lightly toned with moderate handling marks. **Extremely Rare. Proof** (\$1000-1500)



- 1608 **20 Kopecks, 1901-AP.** Sev-4088; Y-22a. Very Rare assayer. Toned. **About Uncirculated** (\$125-150)
- 1609 **20 Kopecks, 1902-AP.** Sev-4099; Y-22. Prooflike. Scarce date. **Uncirculated** (\$40-50)
- 1610 **20 Kopecks, 1910-3Б.** Sev-4144; Y-22. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1611 **20 Kopecks, 1910-3Б.** Sev-4144; Y-22. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1612 **20 Kopecks, 1911-3Б.** Sev-4150; Y-22. Toned with light reverse hairlines. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1613 **20 Kopecks, 1914-BC.** Sev-4184; Y-22a. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1614 **20 Kopecks, 1914-BC.** Sev-4184; Y-22a. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1615 **20 Kopecks, 1915-BC.** Sev-4193; Y-22. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1616 **20 Kopecks, 1917-BC.** Sev-4202; Y-22a. Very scarce. **Uncirculated.** (\$50-75)
- 1617 **20 Kopecks, 1917-BC.** Sev-4202; Y-22a. Very Scarce. **Uncirculated.** (\$50-75)
- 1618 **15 Kopecks, 1901-AP.** Sev-4088; Y-21. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1619 **15 Kopecks, 1907-3Б.** Sev-4126; Y-21. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1620 **15 Kopecks, 1907-3Б.** Sev-4126; Y-21. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1621 **15 Kopecks, 1907-3Б.** Sev-4125; Y-20. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1622 **15 Kopecks, 1909-3Б.** Sev-4138; Y-21. Toned. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1623 **15 Kopecks, 1911-3Б.** Sev-4199; Y-21. Toned with light hairlines. **Proof** (\$40-50)

- 1624 15 Kopecks, 1914-BC. Sev-4183; Y-21. Rim nick, toned. **Proof**.
..... (\$40-50)
- 1625 15 Kopecks, 1915-BC. Sev-4192; Y-21. **Choice Proof** (\$75-100)
- 1626 15 Kopecks, 1915-BC. Sev-4192; Y-21. **Proof** (\$50-75)
- 1627 15 Kopecks, 1917-BC. Sev-4201; Y-21a. Scarce. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
- 1628 15 Kopecks, 1917-BC. Sev-4201; Y-21a. Scarce. **Choice About Uncirculated** (\$50-75)
- 1629 15 Kopecks, 1917-BC. Sev-4201; Y-21. Scarce. **Extremely Fine**.
..... (\$40-50)
- 1630 10 Kopecks, 1907-3Б. Sev-4125; Y-20a. **Uncirculated**. Lot of 10 coins.
..... (\$75-100)
- 1631 10 Kopecks, 1911-3Б. Sev-4148. Reverse hairlines. **Proof** .. (\$40-50)
- 1632 10 Kopecks, 1913-3Б. Sev-4169; Y-20. Toned. Rare assayer. **Proof**.
..... (\$75-100)
- 1633 10 Kopecks, 1917-BC. Sev-4200; Y-20a. Prooflike and toned. Scarce.
Uncirculated (\$50-75)
- 1634 10 Kopecks, 1917-BC. Sev-4200; Y-20a. Scarce. **Uncirculated**.
..... (\$50-75)
- 1635 10 Kopecks, 1917-BC. Sev-4200; Y-20a. Scarce. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$35-45)
- 1636 10 Kopecks, 1917-BC. Sev-4200; Y-20a. **About Uncirculated** (\$35-45)
- 1637 5 Kopecks, 1903-AP. Sev-4102; Y-19. **Proof** (\$40-50)
- 1638 5 Kopecks, 1912 (СПБ). B-95; Y-12. With some spots and traces of
lacquer. **Proof** (\$75-100)
- 1639 Lot of 1, 2 and 3 Kopecks, 1896 (СПБ). B-29, 51, 73. Cleaned and
lacquered. **About Uncirculated to Uncirculated**. Lot of 3 coins.
..... (\$20-25)
- 1640 **Copper Proof Set: 1, 2, and 3 Kopecks, 1905 (СПБ)**. B-38, 60, 82.
Traces of cleaning and resultant unnatural tone. **Proofs**. Lot of 3 coins.
..... (\$75-100)
- 1641 **Copper Proof Set: 1, 2, and 3 Kopecks, 1906 (СПБ)**. B-39, 61, 83. A
few minor handling marks and spots, otherwise a choice matched set.
Proofs. Lot of 3 coins (\$125-150)
- 1642 **Copper Proof Set: 1, 2 and 3 Kopecks, 1907(СПБ)**. B-40, 62, 84. A
few minor spots otherwise a choice matched set. **Proofs**. Lot of 3
coins (\$125-150)
- 1643 **Copper Proof Set: ½, 1, 2, and 3 Kopecks, 1908 (СПБ)**. B-19, 41, 63,
85. Some spots and hairlines but an attractive matched set. **Proofs**.
..... (\$175-200)
- 1644 Lot of 1, 2, and 3 Kopecks, 1913 (СПБ). B-46, 68, 90. 1 and 2
kopecks are **Proofs** with minor spots. 3 Kopecks is spotted,
Uncirculated. Lot of 3 coins (\$50-75)
- 1645 **Copper Proof Set: ½, 1, 2, and 3 Kopecks, 1914 (СПБ)**. B-25, 47, 69,
91. Some spots and a few contact marks. **Proofs**. Lot of 4 coins.
..... (\$125-150)
- 1646 **Medal, 1892**. Smirnov-1010. Bronze, 86 mm, by A. Griliches. 50th
anniversary of the Institute for Civil Engineering. Conjoined busts of
Nicholas I, Alexander II and Alexander III, facing right. Reverse: Eagle.
Uncirculated (\$75-100)



- 1647 **Medal, 1898**. Smirnov-1148a. Silver, 78 mm, by A. Griliches.
Dedication of the Alexander II Monument in the Kremlin, Moscow.
Bust of Alexander II facing left. Reverse: Frontal view of the
monument. The same design as the commemorative ruble but on a
massive scale. Beautifully toned. Rare. **About Uncirculated**.
..... (\$500—UP)
- 1648 **Medal, 1900**. Smirnov-1217; Museler-54/12. Bronze, 76.7 mm, by
Griliches the younger. 200th anniversary of the administration of
mines. Conjoined busts of Peter I and Nicholas II, facing left. Reverse:
Youth pouring mineral wealth from cornucopia beside seated Russia.
About Extremely Fine (\$50-75)



- 1649 **Medal, 1903**. Smirnov-1267. Bronze, 64 mm. Dedication of the Trinity
Bridge over the Neva River in St. Petersburg, as a memorial to the
marriage of Alexander III and Maria Feodorovna. Conjoined busts of
Alexander III, Maria Feodorovna and Nicholas II, facing left. Reverse:
View of the bridge. **Extremely Fine** (\$125-150)

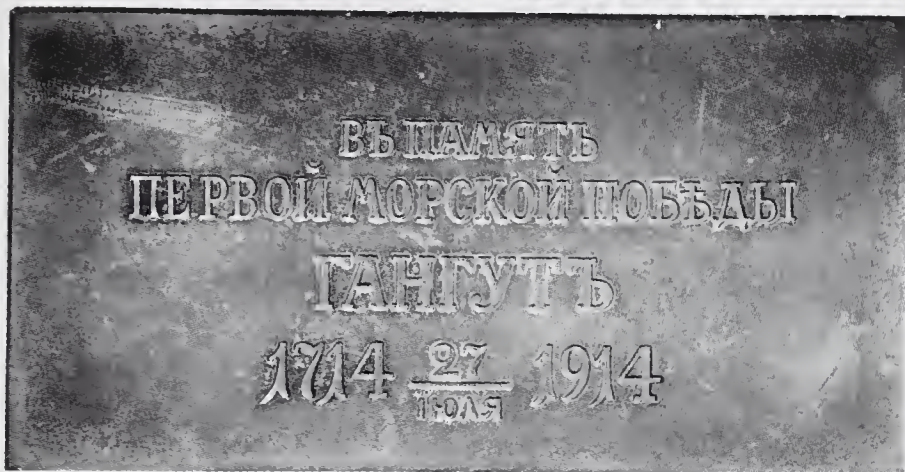


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- 1650 **Medallic Plaquequette, 1914.** Silver, 97.6 X 51.1 mm by P. Stadnitsky. Struck at the St. Petersburg mint. Gangut medals, T.Talvio (JRNS 29) fig.4. Commemorating the naval victory at Gangut. Scene of naval battle. Reverse: Four line legend. Beautifully toned, much rarer than the famous commemorative ruble. **About Uncirculated** .(\$500—UP)
- 1651 **Medal, ND (1894-1917).** Silver, 50.5 mm. Award medal from the Department of Land Tenure and Agriculture. Conjoined busts of Alexander III and Nicholas II facing left. Reverse: Six line legend in wreath of agricultural products. Prooflike. **About Uncirculated**.
.....(\$50-75)
- 1652 **Medal, ND (1894-1917).** Smirnov-1339a. Silver, 65.4 mm. Award medal from the Department of Land Tenure and Agriculture. Conjoined busts of Alexander III and Nicholas II facing left. Reverse: Six line legend in wreath of agricultural products. Rim nick and field marks. **Very Fine**(\$75-100)
- 1653 **Lot of Silver Coronation Jetons.** 1728, 1742, 1801, 1826 (2 pieces), 1856 (4 pieces), 1883 (2 pieces), and 1896. **Very Good to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 12 pieces(\$300-350)
- 1654 **Lot of Silver Coronation Jetons.** 1826, 1856, 1883, and 1896. **Extremely Fine or better.** Lot of 4 pieces(\$100-125)
- 1655 **Lot of School Prize medals.** Silver, 42.5 mm. Toned. **Very Fine or better.** Lot of 3 medals(\$125—UP)
- 1656 **Lot of Medals for government and military service (6 pieces) plus Peace jeton 1791, and Coronation medal 1896.** Silver and brass. **Good to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 8 pieces(\$125-150)
- 1657 **Lot of Bronze Medals.** Commemorating Military Victories, foreign relations and famous personages. **Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 7 medals(\$200—UP)
- 1658 **Lot of Rubles:** 1896 (2 pieces), 1899 (2 pieces), 1900, 1901 (5 pieces), 1907. Dav-293. Handling marks on most. **Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 11 coins(\$250-300)
- 1659 **Lot of Rubles:** 1896 * (Paris), 1896-AГ, 1897-AГ, 1897** (Brussels), 1898-AГ, 1899-Ф3, 1900-Ф3, 1901-Ф3. Dav-293. Some with handling marks and nicks. **Very Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 8 coins(\$250-300)
- 1660 **Lot of Rubles:** 1896 * (Paris), 1896-AГ, 1897 ** (Brussels), 1898 ** (Brussels), 1898-AГ, 1899-Ф3, 1899 ** (Brussels). Dav-293. Nice lot. **Averages Extremely Fine.** Lot of 7 coins(\$250-300)
- 1661 **Lot of Rubles:** 1899-Ф3, 1900-Ф3, 1901-Ф3, 1910-3Б. Dav-293. Couple of scarce dates. **Very Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 4 coins(\$200-250)

- 1662 **Lot of Rubles:** 1913-BC. Dav-298; Sev-4179, 4180; Y-70. Romanov commemorative. High relief (10 pieces), low relief (3 pieces). Some with handling marks, edge nicks or cleaned. **Very Fine to Choice Extremely Fine.** Lot of 13 coins(\$350-400)
- 1663 **Lot of Miscellaneous Rubles, 1856-1924.** **Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 21 coins(\$225-275)
- 1664 **Lot of 50 Kopecks:** 1895-AГ, 1896 * (Paris) (2 pieces), 1907-3Б, 1909-3Б,, 1912-3Б, 1913-3Б. Y-58. **Very Fine to About Uncirculated.** Lot of 7 coins(\$250-300)
- 1665 **Lot of 20 Kopecks:** 1902 (3 pieces), 1903, 1905 (2 pieces), 1906 (5 pieces), 1907 (5 pieces), 1909, 1910 (3 pieces). **Very Good to Uncirculated.** Lot of 20 coins(\$100-125)
- 1666 **Lot of 20 Kopecks:** 1911 (2 pieces), 1912 (4 pieces), 1913 (5 pieces), 1914 (5 pieces), 1915 (6 pieces). **Very Fine to Uncirculated.** Lot of 22 coins(\$125-175)
- 1667 **Lot of 20 Kopecks:** 1915 (12 pieces), 1916 (13 pieces). **Very Fine to Uncirculated.** Lot of 25 coins(\$100-125)
- 1668 **20, 15 and 10 Kopecks, 1917-BC.** Sev-4199, 4200, 4201. **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.** Lot of 3 coins(\$75-100)
- 1669 **Lot of 15 Kopecks:** 1902, 1908 (3 pieces), 1911 (2 pieces), 1912, 1913, 1914, 1916 (3 pieces). Several choice pieces. **Very Fine to Uncirculated.** Lot of 12 coins(\$75-100)
- 1670 **Lot of 10 Kopecks:** 1895-1906. Complete date and assayer run. **About Uncirculated to Uncirculated.** Lot of 14 coins(\$125-150)
- 1671 **Lot of 10 Kopecks:** 1895, 1896, 1902, 1905 (2 pieces), 1906 (3 pieces), 1907 (3 pieces), 1909 (4 pieces), 1910, 1911 (2 pieces), 1912 (2 pieces), 1913 (3 pieces). **Very Good to Uncirculated.** Lot of 23 coins(\$60-80)
- 1672 **Lot of 10 Kopecks, 1855-1876.** **Good to Uncirculated.** Lot of 39 coins.(\$200-250)
- 1673 **Lot of 5 Kopecks:** 1898, 1900, 1901 (2 pieces), 1902, 1905 (4 pieces), 1906 (2 pieces), 1908, 1910, 1911 (2 pieces), 1912 (3 pieces), 1913 (2 pieces), 1914, 1915. Several pieces uncirculated. **Very Fine to Uncirculated.** Lot of 22 coins(\$125-150)
- 1674 **Large lot of Copper and Silver minor coins of Nicholas II.** Many nice pieces. **Very Good to Uncirculated.** Lot of 200 coins ..(\$300—UP)
- 1675 **Lot of tokens, jetons and medals in silver and base metals (1813-1913).** Also included, Kopeck 1755 СПб, 2 Kopecks 1757, and Georgia 2 Abazi (2 pieces) all well worn. Lot of 21 pieces(\$175-200)

Errors



- 1676 **Kopeck, 1728.** H-20. Double struck, flan rotated 30 degrees. With mint red. **Extremely Fine**(\$—)



- 1677 **Polushka, 1730.** H-30. Struck over Kopeck (1728-30) H-20. 30% off center. **Very Fine**(\$—)



1678 Denga, 1735. H-31. Double Struck. 70% off center. Fine (\$—)

1679 Denga, 1746. H-56. Double struck. 50% off center. Very Fine (\$—)



1680 Denga, 1747. H-56. Double struck, two complete dates. 80% off center. Fine (\$—)

1681 Denga, 1747. H-56. Double struck. Partial second date. 40% off center. Fine (\$—)

1682 2 Kopecks (1757-62). H-65. Double struck and rotated 90 degrees. 70% off center. Fine (\$—)



1683 Kopeck, (1757-1760). H-61. Broad double struck. 60% off center. Choice Very Fine (\$—)



1685 25 Kopecks (1832-41) НГ. H-322. Obverse brockage. Choice Very Fine (\$—)



1686 1/2 Kopeck, (1839-1847). H-256-259. Double struck. Two denominations with date off flan. 50% off center. Very Fine . . (\$—)

1687 5 Kopecks, 1864 (EM). H-384. Reverse brockage. Very Good . (\$—)



1688 20 Kopecks (1912-17) BC. H-448/449. Obverse brockage. Extremely Fine (\$—)

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RARE 1921 PROOF SET



1689 Proof Set: 10, 15, 20, 50 Kopecks and Ruble, 1921-АГ. Y-80-84. Nicely toned set. Choice Proofs. Lot of 5 coins (\$1000-1500)



1690 Ruble, 1921-АГ. Dav-300; Y-84. Brilliant with a few light contact marks. Proof (\$300-400)



1691 Ruble, 1921-АГ. Dav-300; Y-84. Toned with a few light field marks. Proof (\$300-400)



1692 Ruble, 1921-АГ. Dav-300; Y-84. Brilliant with a few field marks. Proof. . . . (\$300-400)

1693 Ruble, 1921-АГ. Dav-300; Y-84. Toned with some scuffing in fields. Proof (\$175-200)

1694 Ruble, 1921-АГ. Dav-300; Y-84. Choice Extremely Fine. Lot of 2 coins (\$40-60)

RARE 1922 PROOF SET



1695 Complete Proof Set consisting of 10, 15, 20, 50 Kopecks, АГ, 50 Kopecks ПЛ, Ruble АГ and Ruble ПД. 1922. Y-80, 81, 82, 83 (2 pieces), 84 (2 pieces). All toned, a few with contact marks and hairlines. Rare. Proofs. Lot of 7 coins (\$1500-2000)



1696 Ruble, 1922-AG. Dav-300; Y-84. Scarce assayer of scarce date. Toned. Choice Proof (\$500-700)



1697 Ruble, 1922-AG. Dav-300; Y-84. Scarce assayer of scarce date. With moderate handling. Proof (\$300-400)



1698 Ruble, 1922-PL. Dav-300; Y-49. Scarce date. Toned with a few light field marks. Proof (\$300-400)



1699 Ruble, 1922-PL. Dav-300; Y-84. Scarce date. Lightly toned with a few field marks. Proof (\$300-400)



1700 Silver Proof Set: 10, 15, 20, 50 Kopecks and Ruble, 1924-PL. Y-86-90. A choice and beautifully toned matched set. Proofs. Lot of 5 coins (\$1000-1500)



1701 Silver Proof Set: 10, 15, 20, 50 Kopecks and Ruble, 1924-PL. Y-86-90. A few hairlines and contact marks. Proofs. Lot of 5 coins. (\$750-1000)



1702 Silver Proof Set: 10, 15, 20, 50 Kopecks and Ruble, 1924-PL. Y-86-90. Minors are lightly toned with hairlines from cleaning. Ruble is deeply toned with minimal contact marks. Proofs. Lot of 5 coins. (\$500-700)

Coinage of the Soviet Union



- 1703 Ruble, 1924-ПЛ. Dav-301; Y-90. Toned. **Choice Proof** . . (\$500-700)



- 1704 Ruble, 1924-ПЛ. Dav-301; Y-90. Toned with a few light hairlines. **Proof** . . . (\$300-400)
- 1705 Ruble, 1924-ПЛ. Dav-301; Y-90. **Choice Uncirculated** . . . (\$50-65)
- 1706 Ruble, 1924-ПЛ. Dav-301; Y-90. **Choice About Uncirculated**. Lot of 3 coins . . . (\$40-60)
- 1707 Ruble, 1924-ПЛ. Dav-301; Y-90. **Averages Very Fine**. Lot of 5 coins. . . (\$40-50)
- 1708 **Minor Proof Set: 10, 15, 20 and 50 Kopecks, 1921**. Y-80-83. Brilliant with light handling marks and rim nick on 20 kopeck piece. **Proofs**. Lot of 4 coins . . . (\$300-350)
- 1709 **50 Kopecks, 1921-АГ**. Y-83. With some field marks. **Proof** (\$100-125)
- 1710 **Minor Proof Set: 10, 15, 20 and 50 Kopecks, 1922**. Y-80-83. Brilliant with a few light contact marks. **Proofs**. Lot of 4 coins . (\$300-350)
- 1711 **50 Kopecks, 1922-АГ**. Y-83. Brilliant with light handling. **Proof**. . . (\$150-175)
- 1712 **50 Kopecks, 1922-АГ**. Y-83. Attractively toned with moderate field marks. **Proof** . . . (\$125-150)



- 1713 **Pattern Poltinnik (50 Kopecks), 1924 (London)**. As of Y-89. 9.98 grams, 26.6 mm, plain edge. Hess Hermitage Duplicate auction, Feb. 1931, lot 2165, ("Highest Rarity"). Crest over value. Reverse: Blacksmith striking anvil. Hairlined, somewhat prooflike under uneven toning. **About Uncirculated** . . . (\$700-900)
Similar to regular issue but small details and relief different. This pattern was prepared in London, for a coining contract with the young Soviet government that had to sub-contract to meet its backlogged coinage needs. Only a few pieces known, Extremely Rare.
- 1714 **50 Kopecks, 1924-ПЛ**. Y-89. Brilliant with light hairlines. **Proof**. . . (\$125-150)
- 1715 **Silver Proof Set: 10, 15, 20 and 50 Kopecks, 1925**. Y-86-89. Choice except for handling marks on 50 kopecks piece. **Proofs**. Lot of 4 coins. . . (\$350-400)
- 1716 **Silver Proof Set: 10, 15, 20 and 50 Kopecks, 1925**. Y-86-89. Mostly choice except for handling marks on 50 kopeck piece. **Proofs**. Lot of 4 coins . . . (\$350-400)

- 1717 **Silver Proof Set: 10, 15, 20, and 50 Kopecks, 1925**. Y-86-89. 50 kopeck piece hairlined, the balance of set are choice. **Proofs**. Lot of 4 coins . . . (\$300-350)
- 1718 **50 Kopecks, 1925-ПЛ**. Y-89. Attractively toned with hairlines in field. **Proof** . . . (\$125-150)



- 1719 **50 Kopecks, 1926-ПЛ**. Y-89. Brilliant with a few hairlines. **Proof**. . . (\$100-125)



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- 1720 **50 Kopecks, 1927-ПЛ**. Y-89. Attractively toned with some contact marks in field. Rare. **Proof** . . . (\$200—UP)
- 1721 **50 Kopecks, 1927-ПЛ**. Y-89. With heavy handling and hairlines. **Proof** . . . (\$50-75)
- 1722 **20 Kopecks, 1921**. Y-82. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$75-100)
- 1723 **20 Kopecks, 1921**. Y-82. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$75-100)
- 1724 **20 Kopecks, 1922**. Y-82. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$75-100)
- 1725 **20 Kopecks, 1922**. Y-82. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$75-100)
- 1726 **Proof Set: 10, 15, and 20 Kopecks, 1923**. Y-80,81,82. Toned. **Choice Proofs**. Lot of 3 coins . . . (\$225-275)
- 1727 **Proof Set: 10, 15, and 20 Kopecks, 1923**. Y-80,81,82. Brilliant with a few contact marks. **Proofs**. Lot of 3 coins . . . (\$200-250)
- 1728 **Proof Set: 10, 15 and 20 Kopecks, 1923**. Y-80,81,82. Brilliant with spotting on 10 kopecks. **Proofs**. Lot of 3 coins . . . (\$200-250)
- 1729 **Proof Set: 10, 15, and 20 Kopecks, 1923**. Y-80,81,82. Hairlined from old cleaning, toned. **Proofs**. Lot of 3 coins . . . (\$125-150)
- 1730 **20 Kopecks, 1923**. Y-82. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$75-100)
- 1731 **20 Kopecks, 1925**. Y-88. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$75-100)
- 1732 **20 Kopecks, 1925**. Y-88. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$75-100)
- 1733 **15 Kopecks, 1922**. Y-81. Toned. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$75-100)
- 1734 **15 Kopecks, 1922**. Y-81. Toned. **Choice Proof** . . . (\$75-100)
- 1735 **15 Kopecks, 1923**. Y-81. With light hairlines. **Proof** . . . (\$50-65)
- 1736 **5 Kopecks, 1926**. Y-94. Toned. **Proof** . . . (\$40-50)
- 1737 **Kopeck, 1924**. Y-76. Reeded edge. Toned, Scarce. **Proof** . . (\$50-60)
- 1738 **½ Kopeck, 1927**. Y-75. Rare type in proof. Toned. **Choice Proof**. . . (\$75-100)



- 1739 Pattern 5 Rubles, 1958. KM-Pn 201 (Y-127). Copper-nickel, 34 mm, plain edge. Soviet Crest. Reverse: Value and date in wreath. Uncirculated (\$225-275)



- 1740 Pattern 2 Rubles, 1958. KM-Pn 199 (Y-126). Copper-Nickel, 29 mm, Plain edge. Soviet crest. Reverse: Value and date in wreath. About Uncirculated (\$175-200)

- 1741 Rubles, 1921-AГ and 1922-ПЛ. Dav-300. Some edge nicks. Extremely Fine. Lot of 2 coins (\$40-60)



- 1742 Lot of 50 Kopecks: 1921-AГ, 1922-AГ., 1922-ПЛ, 1924-ПЛ, 1926-ПЛ. Y-83. Lightly toned with light to moderate field marks. All Proofs. Lot of 5 coins (\$500-600)

- 1743 50 Kopecks, 1926-ПЛ. Y-89. Light contact marks; 20 Kopecks, 1921. Y-82. Cleaned. Both Proofs. Lot of 2 coins (\$125-150)

- 1744 Lot of 50 Kopecks, 1921-1927. Very Good to Extremely Fine. Lot of 17 coins (\$75-100)

- 1745 Lot of 20 Kopeck pieces: 1921, 1922, 1923. Y-82. With light handling. Proof. Lot of 3 coins (\$175-225)

- 1746 Lot of 20 Kopeck pieces: 1921, 1922, 1923. Y-82. Choice Proofs. Lot of 3 coins (\$250-300)

- 1747 15 and 20 Kopecks, 1921. Y-81,82. With light hairlines. Proofs. Lot of 2 coins (\$125-150)

- 1748 Lot of 15 Kopeck pieces: 1921, 1922, 1923. Y-81. Choice Proofs. Lot of 3 coins (\$250-275)

- 1749 Lot of 15 Kopeck pieces: 1921, 1922, 1923. Y-81. With a few hairlines. Proofs. Lot of 3 coins (\$175-200)

- 1750 15 Kopecks, 1922 and 1923. Y-81. Choice Proofs. Lot of 2 coins. (\$175-200)

- 1751 10 and 15 Kopecks, 1927. Y-86, 87. Matched lightly toned. Choice Proofs. Lot of 2 coins (\$125-150)

- 1752 Copper Type Set: 1 and 2 Kopeck (reeded edge) 3 and 5 Kopeck (plain edge). Y-76,77,78,79. Mostly red, all Uncirculated. Lot of 4 coins. (\$100-UP)

- 1753 Aluminum-Bronze Proof Set: 1,2,3, and 5 Kopecks, 1926. Y-91-94. Choice Proofs. Lot of 4 coins (\$200-UP)

- 1754 Aluminum-Bronze type set: 1, 2, 3, and 5 Kopecks, 1926. Y-91-94. Also Kopeck of 1927 included. Some toned. Uncirculated. Lot of 5 coins (\$40-50)

- 1755 Copper Minors, 1924-1936. Some scarce. Very Good to About Uncirculated. Lot of 12 coins (\$75-100)

- 1756 Lot of Minors, 1922-1942. Very Good to Uncirculated. Lot of 24 coins (\$75-100)



- 1757 Tokens, issued by the Petrograd harness and suitcase works (ca.1922): 2 and 5 Kopecks (copper), 50 Kopecks (aluminum), 3 Rubles (brass) and 5 Rubles (copper). See Spassky-plate 201. Value. Reverse: Moose. Rare. Averages Extremely Fine. Lot of 5 coins. (\$300-UP)

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- 1758 5 Rubles, 1918. B-4. Copper, 30.09 mm. Provisional issue by the Kerensky government. Some nicks in the field. Very Rare. Very Fine to Extremely Fine (\$300-350)



- 1759 Pattern 3 Rubles, 1918. B-2. Copper, 31 mm. Provisional issue by the Kerensky government. Rare. Uncirculated (\$400-500)



- 1760 Pattern 3 Rubles, 1918. B-2. Copper, 31 mm. Provisional issue by the Kerensky government. Toning spot. Rare. **About Uncirculated**. (\$300-350)



- 1761 3 Rubles, 1918. Y-2 (73); B-5. Copper, 27.8 mm. Provisional issue by the Kerensky government. Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$175-200)



- 1762 3 Rubles, 1918. Y-2 (73); B-5. Copper, 27.8 mm. Provisional issue by the Kerensky government. Rare. **Extremely Fine** (\$175-200)

- 1763 3 Rubles, 1918. Y-2 (73); B-5. Copper, 27.8 mm. Provisional issue by the Kerensky government. Edge nick. Rare. **Very Fine** . . . (\$75-100)

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- 1764 100 Rubles, 1339 AH (1920-21 AD). Y-3; B-9. **Extremely Fine** (\$40-50)

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- 1765 Complete type set: 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 15, and 20 Kopecks, 1934. Y-1-7. A few with nicks and scratches. Copper-Nickel pieces are corroded. Very Rare as a complete set. **Averages Very Fine**. Lot of 7 coins (\$175-200)

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